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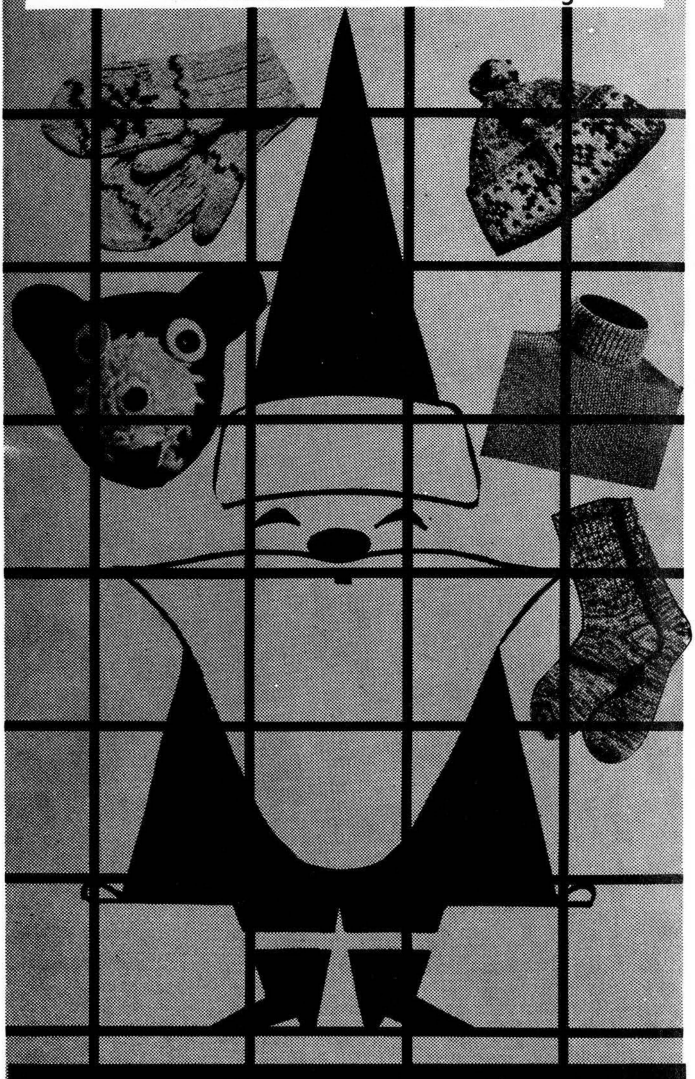

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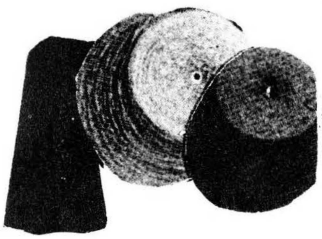

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Style 1460

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZES: 12 (14-16-18).

MEASUREMENTS: Blocked.
Bust — 35 (37-39-41) inches; Width of back or front below underarm shaping — 16½ (17½-18½-19½) inches; length from top of shoulder to lower edge — 20½ (21-21½-22) inches; width of skirt at hip and lower edges — 38 (40-42-45) inches; skirt length 25 (25½-26-26½) inches.

MATERIAL: 23 ounces 2-ply Novelty Dress yarn.
Elastic for waist of skirt;
½ yard taffeta for tie lining;
1 small button.
Knitting Needles size 2 and 3;

GAUGE: 15 stitches — 2 inches; 10 rows — 1 inch.

TENSION: Make a sample swatch: Cast on 30 stitches. Work in stockinette stitch for 25 rows. Block, piece should measure 4 inches by 2½ inches.

If too small try looser tension. / larger needles If to large try tighter / smaller tension. / needles.

PATTERN STITCH: Stockinette stitch.

BLOUSE BACK

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 3 Knitting Needles

Cast on 122 (130-138-146) stitches.

Work in stockinette stitch until length is 88 (90-93-95) rows. / 8¾ (9-9¼-9½) inches.

UNDERARM SHAPING

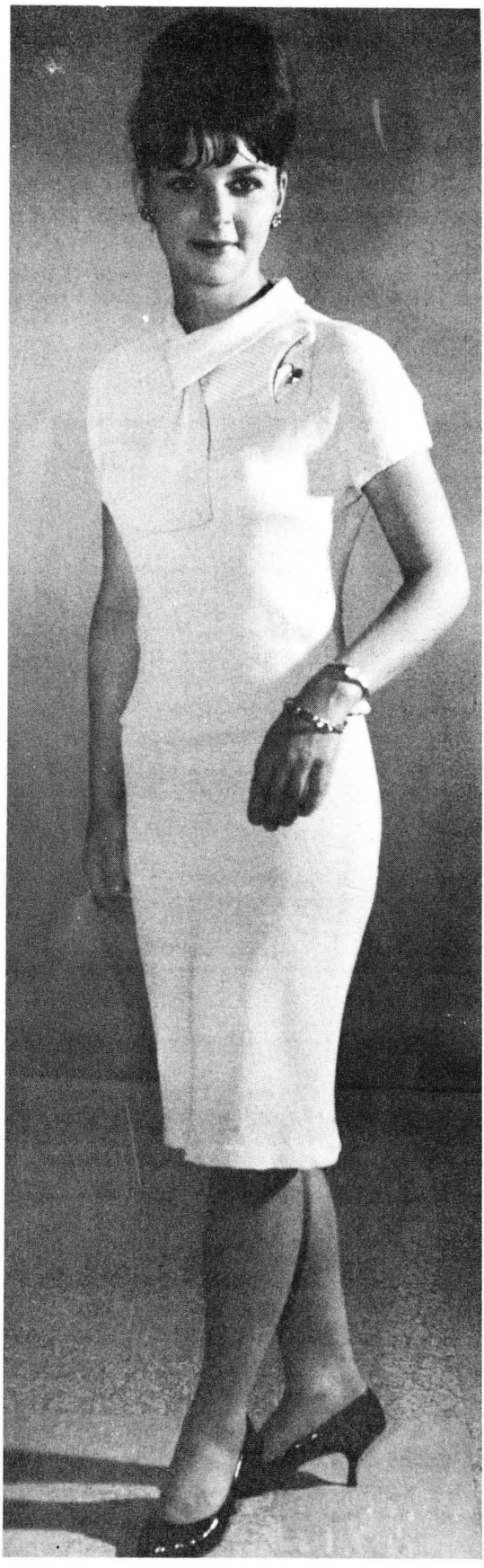
Increase 1 stitch each edge on the next row, then every 8th row once, every 6th row twice, every 4th row 4 times, then every other row 4 times, EVERY row 4 times — 154 (162-170-178) stitches. Mark last row for start of sleeves.

SLEEVES

Row Counter on "0."

Increase 1 stitch each edge every 4th row 13 (13-13-11) times 180 (188-196-200) stitches.

Work even until 50 (53-55-58) rows are worked above / 5 (5¼-5½-5¾) inches marked row.



Model Patricia Flynn

Style 1460

Pink Two-Piece . . . barely fitted

SHOULDER AND NECK SHAPING

Bind off 3 stitches at beginning of next 20 rows, 120 (128-136-144) stitches.

Next row bind off 4 stitches, work across until there are 46 (49-52-55) stitches, bind off center 20 (22-24-26) stitches, finish row.

Work one shoulder at a time.

Bind off at sleeve edge 4 stitches, work to neck edge. Decrease 1 stitch at neck edge EVERY row 7 times, every other row 3 times; MEANWHILE AT SHOULDER edge bind off 4 stitches 5 times more, 5 (6-7-8) stitches twice, 6 (7-8-7) stitches once.

Starting at opposite neck edge, complete other side to correspond.

FRONT

Work same as back until last sleeve increases have been made — 180 (188-196-200) stitches.

HAND KNITTERS: End with a purl row.

FRONT OPENING

Work first 90 (94-98-100) stitches. Turn, knit the 2 stitches at center front on every row, forming Garter Stitch Edge. Work these stitches only until sleeve measures same as on Back.

SHOULDER

At sleeve edge bind off 3 stitches 5 times — 75 (79-83-87) stitches.

NECK

At neck edge bind off 10 (11-12-13) stitches once, decrease 1 stitch EVERY row 7 times, every other row 3 times; MEANWHILE AT SLEEVE EDGE bind off 3 stitches 5 times more, 4 stitches 6 times, 5 (6-7-8) stitches twice, 6 (7-8-7) stitches once.

Starting at center front, work other side to correspond.

SCARF

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 3 Knitting Needles

Cast on 30 stitches.

Work even in stockinette stitch for $\frac{40 \text{ rows.}}{4 \text{ inches}}$

Decrease 1 stitch at beginning of next row (neck edge) and again at same edge every $\frac{25 \text{ rows}}{2\frac{1}{2} \text{ inches}}$ 6 times more — 23 stitches.

Mark row.

Work even to $\frac{\text{row 160}}{\text{12 inches}}$ beyond marker.

Increase 1 stitch at neck edge on the next row and again every $\frac{\text{25 rows}}{\text{2½ inches}}$ 6 times more — 30 stitches.

Work $\frac{\text{40 rows}}{\text{4 inches}}$ even. Bind off.

FINISHING

Block pieces to measurements. Sew shoulder seams.

ARMBANDS

With right side facing you, pick up 90 (94-98-102) stitches around each sleeve edge between markers. Work in knit 1 purl 1 ribbing for 5 rows. Bind off in ribbing.

NECK BAND

Pick up 142 (146-150-154) stitches around neck edge.

MACHINE KNITTERS: Work front and back separate, miter together. Work same as armbands.

Sew side and underarm seams.

Make a ¾ inch hem at bottom edge. Line scarf with taffeta. Press. Tack center neck edge of scarf to back of neck. Sew scarf to neck edge 1 inch beyond shoulder seams. Close front opening with small button (sewed on wrong side) make buttonloop of thread.

SKIRT BACK

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch. . . . With Size 2 Knitting Needles

Cast on 132 (140-148-156) stitches.

(NOTE) Use single strand of yarn for 2 inches of ribbing.

Change Tension for Body of Garment . . . With Size 3 Knitting Needles

Increase 1 stitch each edge on the next row and again every $\frac{\text{10 rows}}{\text{1 inch}}$ 9 times more (132 (140-148-156) stitches.

Work even until desired length. Allowing 1 inch to stretch.

SKIRT FRONT

Same as skirt back.

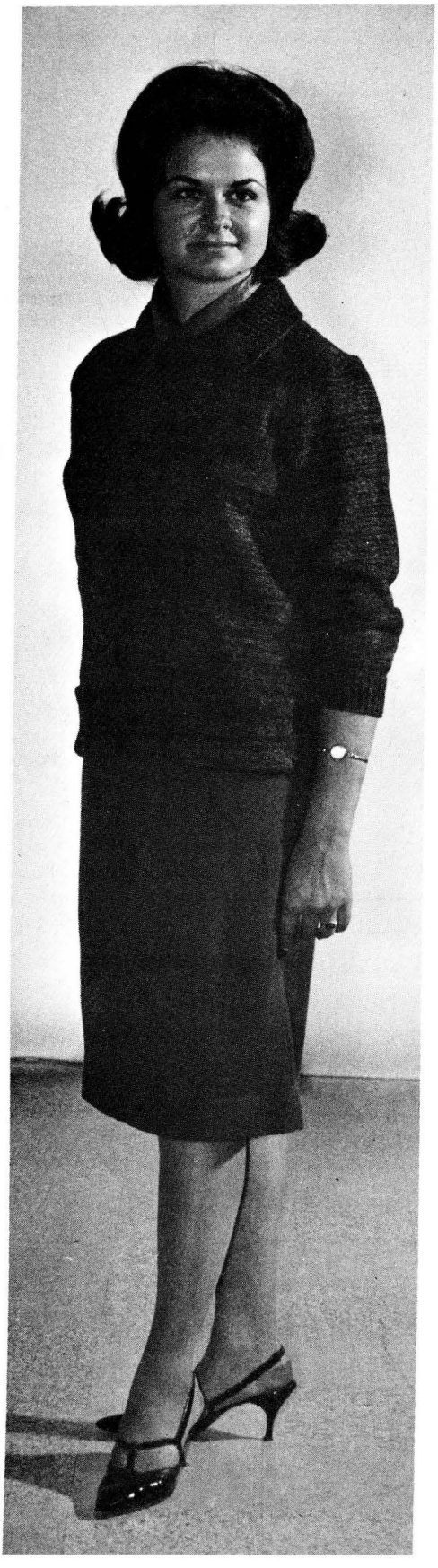
FINISHING

Sew side seams. Turn up 1 inch hem at lower edge. Block skirt 1 inch longer than desired length. (Waist ribbing will pull up 1 inch.)

Make circle of elastic to fit waist measure.

Turn 1 inch of ribbing to wrong side over elastic and hem in place.

Block to measurements. Stretch 1 inch longer than desired length. (Waist band will pull skirt up in length.)



Model Mar Della Price

Style 1477

Ultra - Modern Brown Tweed

Ultra-Modern Suit

Style 1477

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZES: 36 (38-40-42-44-46-48).
Bust: Blocked 40 (42⅛-44-46-48-50-52) inches.
Length at center back: 25¾ (26-26¼-26½-26¾-27-27¼) inches.

Sleeve Seam: 17½-19 inches—adjust for individual measurements.

MATERIAL: 3-ply tweed sport yarn. Knitting Needles size 5 for ribbing, size 7 for body of garment.

GAUGE: 6 stitches and 8 rows - 1 inch.

TENSION: Make sample swatch with yarn of choice until you get the above GAUGE. Suggested Tension: Knit King, Tension No. 7 for ribbing, No. 9 for body of garment; Brother and Studio, No. 7 and 10; Strigo, Royal and Speed-o-knit, No. 6 and 9; Miracle, Super speed, Busch, No. 8 and 10.

PATTERN STITCH: Stockinette stitch. Machine Knitters will follow the directions exactly. Hand knitters will follow the same directions, but work in inches given below the line instead of rows.

BACK

Tension set 1 point tighter for hem. "Row Counter on "0."
. . . With Size 5 Knitting Needles

Cast on 121, (126-132-138-144-150-156) stitches.

Work in stockinette stitch for 16 rows.
2¾ inches.

Make turning ridge for hem by changing tension to 10 for one row only.

(Work 1 row reverse stockinette stitch for turning ridge.)

Row counter on "0" — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 7 Knitting Needles

Increase 1 stitch at end of next row.

From turning ridge of hem work 102 rows without shaping,
12¾ inches

SHAPE ARMHOLES

At the beginning of next 2 rows (once each side) bind off 4 (5-5-5-6-6-6) stitches; at beginning of next 2 rows bind off 2 (2-3-3-3-3-4) stitches; at beginning of next 2 rows 2 (2-2-2-2-3-3) stitches; 2 stitches at beginning of next 2 rows and decrease 1 stitch at beginning of next 10 rows (5 on each side) 92 (96-100-106-110-114-118) stitches remain.

Knit 48 (50-52-54-56-58-60) rows stockinette stitch without
6 (6¼-6½-6¾-7-7¼-7½) inches
shaping shoulders.

At the beginning of the next 8 (2-4-8-2-4) rows bind off 6 (7-7-7-7-8-8) stitches.

At the beginning of the next 2 (8-6-2-8-6-4) rows bind off 5 (6-6-6-7-7-7) stitches.

Bind off remaining 34 (34-36-38-40-40-42) stitches.

RIGHT FRONT

Tension set 1 point tighter for hem. "Row Counter on "0." . . . With Size 5 Knitting Needles

Cast on 68 (70-74-78-82-86-90) stitches.

Work hem same as back.

Row Counter on "0." Re-set Tension for Stockinette Stitch. . . . With Size 7 Knitting Needles

Increase 13 stitches at front edge at beginning of next row. Work even until same length as back to underarm shaping Complete row at side edge.

SHAPE ARMHOLE

At beginning of next row bind off 4 (5-5-5-6-6-6) stitches, complete row and work back. Bind off 2 (2-3-3-3-3-4) stitches at beginning of next row, complete row and work back. Bind off 2 stitches at beginning of next row, complete row and work back, decrease 1 stitch at the beginning of the next row and every following row 5 times altogether. 65 (67-72-74-76-78-82) stitches remain.

Row Counter on "0."

Work 34 (34-36-38-38-40-42) rows without shaping.
4 (4-4¼-4½-4¾-5-5¼) inches

SHAPE FRONT NECK EDGE

Bind off 27 stitches at beginning of next row at neck edge, complete row and work back. Bind off 2 (2-2-2-3-3-3) stitches at beginning of next row. Bind off 2 stitches at beginning of next row, 1 stitch at beginning of the next and every following alternate row 5 (5-6-7-7-7-8) times altogether.

Work 2 (4-2-2-2-4-2) rows without shaping.

SHAPE SHOULDER

At side edge ONLY, bind off 6 (7-7-7-7-8-8) stitches once, 6 (6-6-7-7-7-8) stitches once, 6 (6-6-7-7-7-7) stitches once, bind off remaining stitches.

LEFT FRONT

Work same as Right Front but reverse shapings, working 1 row more before beginning first shaping. Work double buttonholes on front edge spacing them 5¼ (5½-5½-5¾-5¾-6-6¼) inches apart. Machine buttonholes can be made when garment is complete.

SLEEVES (Both Alike)

Cast on 59 (61-61-63-65-65) stitches.

Row Counter on "0" — Tension set for Ribbing. . . . With Size 5 Knitting Needles

Work in knit 1, purl 1 ribbing for 20 rows.
2½ inches

Change Tension for Stockinette Stitch
. . . With Size 7 Knitting Needles

Increase 1 stitch at beginning of next 2 rows and every following 7th and 8th (6th and 7th, 6th and 7th, 5th and 6th, 5th and 6th, 5th and 6th, 5th and 6th) rows 15 (16-17-18-19-20-21) times altogether.

Work 10 (19-14-9-22-18-14) rows without shaping.
$1\frac{1}{4}$ ($2\frac{1}{2}$-$1\frac{7}{8}$-$1\frac{1}{4}$-$2\frac{1}{4}$-$1\frac{3}{4}$-$1\frac{1}{2}$) inches.

(Adjust length at this stage if desired.)

SHAPE TOP

Bind off 4 (5-5-5-6-6-6) stitches at beginning of next 2 rows, 3 stitches at beginning of next 2 (2-2-2-2-4-4) rows, 2 stitches at beginning of next 22 (23-23-26-26-28-28) rows,

Bind off 2 stitches at the beginning of the next 8 (8-8-6-6-6-6) rows. 3 stitches at the beginning of the next 2 (2-2-4-4-4-4) rows and 4 stitches at the beginning of the next 2 rows. Bind off remaining stitches.

POCKETS (Make 2)

Row Counter on "0" — Tension set for Hem.
. . . With Size 5 Knitting Needles

Cast on 36 stitches. Work 4 rows, reverse stitches across row for turning ridge, work 4 rows.

Change Tension for Stockinette Stitch
. . . With Size 7 Knitting Needles

Work 30 rows. Bind off loosely.
$3\frac{3}{4}$ inches from hem line.

BREAST POCKET (Make 1)

Cast on 27 stitches.

Make hem same as large pockets.

Work 22 rows even. Bind off loosely.
$2\frac{3}{4}$ inches.

COLLAR

Row Counter on "0" — Tension set for Ribbing.
. . . With Size 5 Knitting Needles

Cast on 127 (131-135-139-143-147-151) stitches.
Work in knit 1, purl 1 ribbing for 40 rows.
5 inches

Bind off in ribbing.

FINISHING

Block each piece carefully to size. Do not block ribbing.

Join shoulder seams. Set in sleeves. Press with damp cloth on wrong side. Join sleeve and underarm seams. Turn up hem at bottom edge on hemline. Blind stitch in place.

Sew bottom pockets as pictured, 14 stitches from side edge. Blind stitch in place, matching rows of stitches.

Place Breast Pocket in position.

Sew collar around neck edge to within 1 inch of front edge. Turn front edge to wrong side and complete buttonholes. Sew on buttons.

It is a good idea to place 1 inch bias tape, ironed flat, under buttons. Give final pressing.

Skirt

Style 1477

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZE: At Hipline — 36 (38-40-42-44-46-48)
At Waistline — 25 (27-29-31-33-35-36)
Skirt is planned for 25 inches. Make any necessary adjustment for length before first decrease and keep a record of adjustment made.

MATERIAL: 2-strand Tweed yarn, 12 (14-16-18-20-22-24) ounces; 1 yard 1-inch elastic;

FRONT

Row Counter on "0." Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 6 Knitting Needles

Cast on 108 (114-120-126-132-138-144) stitches.

Work in stockinette stitch (knit 1 row, purl 1 row)
(Machine Knitters work even)
until piece measures 144 rows
18 inches from beginning, or 7 inches less than desired length to waistline.

Place a marker on the 36th stitch from each end.

FIRST DECREASE ROW: Decrease 1 stitch each side and 1 stitch at each marker (4 decreases). Repeat this decrease row every inch 6 times more.

Work even on 80 (86-92-98-104-110-116) stitches until piece measures 200 rows
25 inches from beginning.

WAISTBAND

MACHINE KNITTER: Transfer every other stitch to adjacent needle for continental ribbing. Knit 20 rows. Pick up beginning row of ribbing and place on empty needles. Bind off loosely.

HAND KNITTER: Change to size 4 needles and work in knit 1, purl 1 for 20 rows. Bind off loosely. Sew cast-off edge to first row of ribbing.

BACK

Work same as front.

FINISHING

Block skirt pieces to size. Sew side seams. Cut elastic to waist measurement and thread into waistband. Try skirt on and pin hem in place. Blind stitch hem in position. Press hem with damp cloth, being careful not to stretch out of line.

This is a very becoming style for the larger figure.

Style 1465

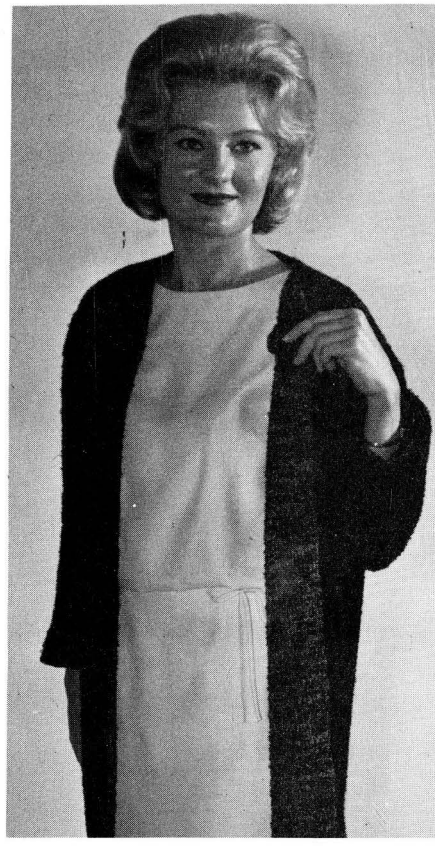
Model - Jan Mc Afee

Black and Pink Mohair Coat

COAT — Double Wearability Tops All

Style 1465

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING



SIZES: 12 (14-16-18).

MATERIAL: For Double Coat — 15 ounces Rayon and Wool blend tweed yarn.
"Hero" Knitting Needles — size 5, size 3.

PATTERN STITCH: Stockinette Stitch.

GAUGE: 5 stitches and 7 rows - 1 inch.

TENSION: Cast on 20 stitches and work 28 rows. Block lightly. Piece should measure 4 inches square.
Suggested Tension Settings: Knit King, Studio, Brother, No. 7 tension; Prazisa, Busch, Super-Speed, No. 9. Every machine has its own particular tension and we cannot give a true tension setting for you to use, it depends on the type of yarn, how you control the feeding for your machine, and you. So always make a sample tension swatch until you get the GAUGE as given.

COAT BACK

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch. . . . With Size 5 Knitting Needles

Cast on 118 (124-130-136) stitches.

Work even for 88 rows. (12½ inches) Cast on 5 stitches at the beginning of the next 2 rows (side vents) 128 (134-140-146) stitches.

Work even until total length is 217 (221-225-229) rows (31 (31½--32-32½) inches) from beginning.

Mark last row 10 stitches in from each outside edge.

ARMHOLES

Row Counter on "0."

Bind off 4 stitches at beginning of next 2 rows. Decrease 1 stitch each edge every other row 8 (9-10-11) times, then every 4th row 6 times — 92 (96-100-104) stitches. Work even until armholes measure 60 (60-64-64) rows (8½ (8½-9-9) inches) above marked row.

SHOULDERS

Bind off 6 (6-7-7) stitches at beginning of next 6 rows (3 each side) 6 (7-6-7) stitches at beginning of next 4 rows (2 each side). Bind off remaining 32 (32-34-34) stitches for back of neck.

LEFT FRONT

Row Counter on "0." . . . With Size 5 Knitting Needles

Cast on 62 (66-68-72) stitches.

Work even for 88 rows, (12½ inches,) cast on 6 stitches at beginning of next row (side edge) for vent — 68 (72-74-78) stitches.

Work even until same length as back to underarm. Mark last row 10 stitches in on side edge.

ARMHOLES

Row Counter on "0."

At side edge bind off 6 stitches once, decrease 1 stitch every other row 6 (7-7-8) times, every 4th row 6 times — 50 (53-55-58) stitches. Continue until armhole measures 52 (56-56-60) rows (7½ (8-8-8½) inches) above marker end at front edge.

NECK AND SHOULDER

At front edge, bind off 10 (11-12-13) stitches. Decrease 1 stitch at neck edge on every row 10 times. At side edge bind off 6 (6-7-7) stitches 3 times, 6 (7-6-7) stitches 2 times.

RIGHT FRONT

Work to correspond with left front, reversing shaping (begin knit rows at side edge).

SLEEVES

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch. . . . With Size 5 Knitting Needles

Cast on 70 (72-76-78) stitches. Increase 1 stitch each edge every 14 rows four times (2 inches) — 78 (80-84-86) stitches.

Work even until total length is 40 (40-44-44) rows (10 (10-10½-10½) inches) or desired

TOP SHAPING

Bind off 6 stitches at beginning of next 2 rows. Decrease 1 stitch each edge. every other row until there are 50 (50-52-52) stitches, then every 28 rows (4 inches) until 38 (38-40-40) stitches remain.

Decrease 1 stitch every other row until 20 stitches remain. Bind off 3 stitches at beginning of next 2 rows, bind off remaining 14 stitches.

CORD FOR TRIMMING

Row Counter on "0." Tension set 2 points tighter. . . . With Size 3 Knitting Needles

With Black Yarn cast on 8 stitches. Work bias trim by increasing 1 stitch at beginning of row and decreasing 1 stitch at end of row, until piece is long enough to go around fronts and neck of coat. Knit 2 pieces for sleeves and 4 pieces for side vents. For each frog cast on 50 stitches and work straight piece for 5 rows. (¾ inch)

BLOCKED MEASUREMENTS

Width of Coat at underarm — 48 (50-52-54) inches; width at back underarm — 23½ (24½-25½-26½) inches, width at front underarm — 12½ (13-13½-14) inches, sleeve at underarm — 14 (14½-15-15½) inches, length at center back to hem — 40½ (40½-41-41½) inches.

FINISHING

Pin and block coat sections to measurements. If coat is to have cloth lining, cut lining to correspond, allowing for seams, 2 inches for hem, 1 inch pleat at center back of neck, 1 inch darts at each shoulder and darts at back of sleeves at elbows.

Sew shoulder, side and sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves, (easing to fit). Press. Make flat seams. Assemble lining. Making pleats and darts. Press. Insert lining. Try on coat and pin lining to edges of coat.

If both coat and lining are knit, complete the same. Putting wrong sides together. Sew seam tape to shoulder seams across back of neck, to prevent sagging. Trim front, neck, sleeves and slits by sewing one edge of trimming to edge of coat.

Fold trimming in half over edge of coat and lining and sew together and press. Make frogs for top of slits as shown. Sew in place. Make frogs for top of coat as shown, sew in place with one loop extending over edge for buttonloop. Make frog for other side with a knot to form a button.

For the VELVET look, line your coat with matching velvet.

Hat

Style 1465

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

MATERIAL: Loop Boucle & Wool Blend.

SIZE: Medium (Adjustable for all sizes.)

GAUGE: 5 stitches and 6 rows — 1 inch.
Knitting Needles size 6 or any size required to get the above gauge.

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 6 Knitting Needles

Starting at lower edge cast on 100 stitches.

Work even in stockinette stitch for 42 rows. (7 inches)

SHAPE TOP

MACHINE KNITTER: Knit 2 together at beginning and end of rows 1 and 2.

HAND KNITTER: Knit 2 together at beginning and end of row. Purl 2 together at beginning and end of next row. 96 stitches remain.

Row 5: MACHINE KNITTER: Place the 11th stitch on the 12th needle, repeat across row. Put empty needles at back of machine out of knitting position. Work 3 rows scrap yarn. Drop work from machine. Place 4 needles on each end of working needles out of work position, return first empty needles to work position and replace stitches on machine, double stitches on 1 needle. Pull out scrap. (8 stitches decreased.)

HAND KNITTER: Knit 10 stitches *knit 2 together, knit 10, knit 2 together. Repeat from * across row (8 stitches decreased).

BOTH: Repeat rows 4 and 5 until 16 stitches remain. Leave a 12-inch end, break yarn. Thread tapestry needle and sew through remaining 16 stitches, fasten securely. Sew back seam.

FINISHING

Press on right side through damp cloth. Make a 1-inch hem at bottom edge, sewing loosely to allow for stretch. Make hat lining of pellon for stiffness. Trim as desired.

SIZE: Medium

Designer Ellen Whitlock

MATERIAL: 6 ounces 2-ply coned yarn or 7 1-ounce skeins baby yarn. Size 8 crochet hook, 1 Frog Fastener.

Chain 160 stitches (24 inches). Turn, double crochet in 4th chain from hook.

Chain 2 stitches, skip 2 stitches of chain, double crochet in 3rd stitch, chain 2, skip 2nd stitch, double crochet in 3rd stitch of chain until end of chain has been reached. (78 blocks.)

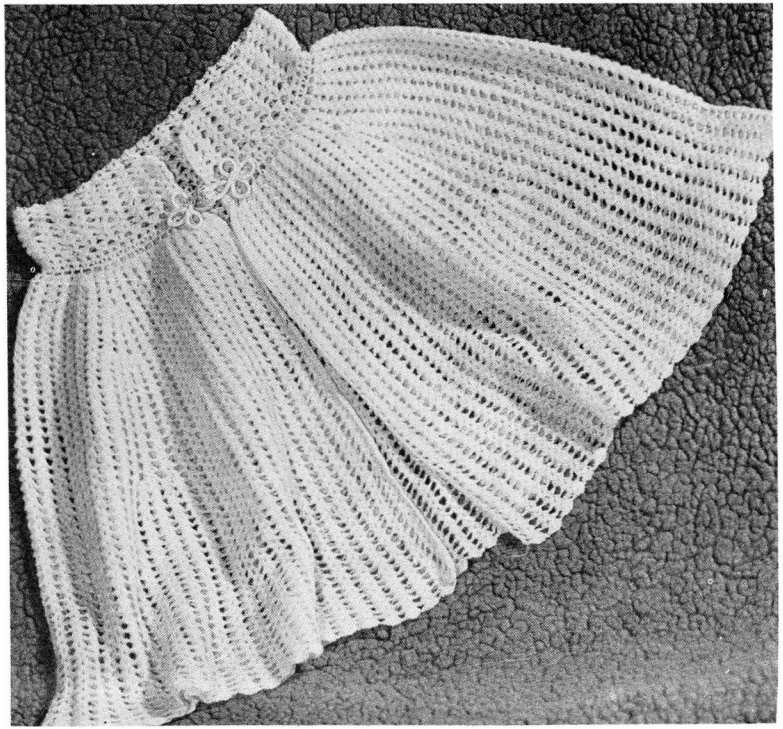
Chain 4, turn; double crochet in last double crochet of previous row, chain 1 stitch, *double crochet in first space, make 2 double crochet, chain 1, double crochet 2 times more (shell made) chain 1 stitch. Repeat from * across row.

Chain 4 stitches, turn, double crochet in last stitch of previous row, chain 1, make shell in shell of previous row. Repeat shell in shell on 3rd row.

Fourth row: Repeat for 13 shells, crochet chain of 4 stitches, shell in shell for 13 more shells, repeat shell 4, 13 more shells, chain 4, 13 more shells, chain 4, 13 more shells to end of row.

Fifth row: Chain 4, turn, double crochet in first double crochet, chain 1, shell in shell to chain 4, make shell in chain four space, repeat across row.

Row 6: Chain 4, turn, shell in shell, chain 1 between each shell across row.



Crochet Cape

Style 1468

Row 7: Increase row: Chain 4, turn, repeat as previous row to 13th shell, make new shell in space between 13th and 14th shell of previous row, repeat across row.

Row 8: Chain 4, double crochet in last stitch of row, 7, chain 1, shell in shell across row, no increase. Repeat row 8 for 42 rows or until cape measures 15 inches or desired length.

Last row: Chain 4, turn, double crochet in last stitch of chain on previous row, chain 2 stitches; double crochet in shell 3 times, chain 1, double crochet 3 more times, chain 2, shell in shell, 3 double crochets, chain 1; repeat across row. Break thread.

CAPE COLLAR

Row 1: Fasten thread to first post of 72 blocks, chain 3, double crochet 2, double crochet in each block to end of row, chain 3, turn.

Row 2: 2 double crochets between each 2 double crochets in first row, repeat to end of row, chain 3, turn.

Row 3: 2 double crochet in space between 2 double crochet of previous row, chain 1, 2 double crochet in same space; shell made. Chain 1, repeat shells across row. Chain 3, turn.

Repeat the above 3 rows 3 times or desired length of collar.

Last row: 3 double crochet in last shell of preceding row, chain 2, 3 double crochet in same space shell of 6 double crochets, chain 2, shell 6 in nert shell, repeat across row, chain 3, turn. Repeat the above row. Break thread.

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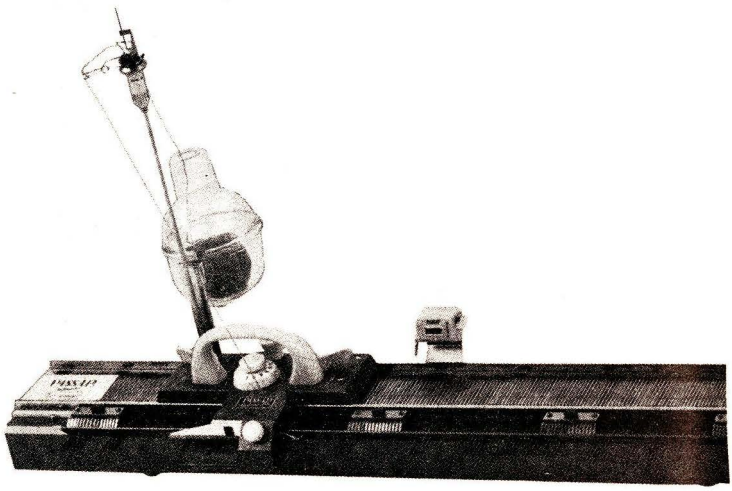

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Standard Chart of Body Measurements

Select your size by the measurements on this chart.

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TODDLERS AND CHILDREN

BODY MEASUREMENTS								
SIZE	½	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Breast	19	20	21	22	23	23½	24	Ins.
Waist	19	19½	20	20½	21	21½	22	Ins.
Hip						25	26	Ins.
Back waist length						10½		Ins.

GIRLS

SIZE	7	8	10	12	14	
Breast	25	26	28	30	32	Ins.
Waist	22½	23	24	25	26	Ins.
Hip	27	28	30	32½	35	Ins.
Back waist length	11	11½	12¼	13	13¾	Ins.
Front waist length	12 5/16	12⅞	13¾	14⅝	15 7/16	Ins.
Shoulder length	3⅞	4	4¼	4½	4¾	Ins.
Back width	11 3/16	11½	12⅛	12¾	13⅜	Ins.
Front width	10 11/16	11	11⅝	12¼	12⅞	Ins.
Sleeve length	17¼	18⅛	19¾	21⅜	22½	Ins.
Sleeve width	10¾	11	11½	12	12½	Ins.
Neck	12¼	12½	13	13½	14	Ins.

MISSES AND WOMEN

BODY MEASUREMENTS											
SIZE	10	12	14	16	18	20	40	42	44	46	
Bust	31	32	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	Ins.
Waist	24	25	26	28	30	32	34	36	38½	41	Ins.
Hip	33	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	50	Ins.
Back waist length	15¾	16	16¼	16½	16¾	17	17⅛	17¼	17⅜	17½	Ins.
PATTERN MEASUREMENTS											
Front waist length	16¾	17 3/16	17⅜	18 1/16	18½	18 15/16	19¼	19 7/16	19⅞	20 3/16	Ins.
Shoulder length	4⅞	5	5⅛	5¼	5⅜	5½	5 9/16	5⅝	5 11/16	5¾	Ins.
Back width	13½	13⅞	14⅜	14⅞	15⅜	15⅞	16⅜	16⅞	17⅜	17⅞	Ins.
Front width	13	13⅜	13⅞	14⅜	14⅞	15⅜	15⅞	16⅜	16⅞	17⅜	Ins.
Sleeve length	23	23⅜	23¾	24⅛	24½	24⅞	25 1/16	25¼	25 7/16	25⅝	Ins.
Sleeve width	12½	13	13½	14	14½	15	15⅝	16¼	16⅞	17½	Ins.
Neck	13½	14	14½	15	15½	16	16½	17	17½	18	Ins.

JUNIORS

BODY MEASUREMENTS						
SIZE	9	11	13	15	17	
Bust	30½	31½	33	35	37	Ins.
Waist	23½	24½	25½	27	28½	Ins.
Hip	32½	33½	35	37	39	Ins.
Back waist length	15	15¼	15½	15¾	16	Ins.
PATTERN MEASUREMENTS						
Front waist length	16	16 7/16	16⅞	17 5/16	17¾	Ins.
Shoulder length	4¾	4⅞	5	5⅛	5¼	Ins.
Back width	13¼	13⅝	14	14½	15	Ins.
Front width	12¾	13⅛	13½	14	14½	Ins.
Sleeve length	22½	22⅞	23¼	23⅝	24	Ins.
Sleeve width	12⅛	12⅝	13⅛	13⅝	14⅛	Ins.
Neck	13¼	13¾	14¼	14¾	15¼	Ins.

TEENS

BODY MEASUREMENTS						
SIZE	8	10	12	14	16	
Bust	29	30	32	34	36	Ins.
Waist	23	24	25	26	28	Ins.
Hip	31	32	34	36	38	Ins.
Back waist length	14½	14¾	15	15¼	15½	Ins.
PATTERN MEASUREMENTS						
Front waist length	15½	15½	15⅞	16¼	16⅝	Ins.
Shoulder length	4½	4⅝	4¾	4⅞	5	Ins.
Back width	12⅝	13	13½	14	14½	Ins.
Front width	12	12⅜	12⅞	13⅜	13⅞	Ins.
Sleeve length	21⅞	22¼	22⅝	23	23⅜	Ins.
Sleeve width	11⅝	12⅛	12⅝	13⅛	13⅝	Ins.
Neck	12⅝	13⅛	13⅝	14⅛	14⅝	Ins.

MEN'S SIZE

(Slip-on)

SIZE	Small (36–38)	Medium (40–42)	Large (44–46)
Chest	37″	41″	45″
Shoulder Back	16	17	18
Shoulder	5	5 1/2	6
Back of Neck	6	6	6
Armhole Depth	8 1/2	9	9 1/2
Length to Underarm	15	15 1/2	15 1/2
Sleeve width	15	16	17
Sleeve Length	22	23	24

(Sleeveless)

SIZE	Small (36–48)	Medium (40–42)	Large (44–46)
Chest	37″	41″	45″
Shoulder Back	15	16	17
Shoulder	4 1/2	5	5 1/2
Back of Neck	6	6	6
Armhole Depth	9 1/2	10	10 1/2
Length to Underarm	13	13 1/2	13 1/2

Green and White — Style 1470

Mofair Casual Jacket

Mofair Casual Jacket

Style 1470

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZES: 12 (14-16).

MEASUREMENTS: 34 (36-38) inch bust.
Blocked — 36 (38-40) inch bust.

MATERIAL: Marriner Mofair 80% mohair — 20% wool.
7 ounces Green
6 ounces White.
Needles: 1 pair size 6 and size 10. "Boye" Knitting needles. Crochet Hook size 0 or any size required to get the correct gauge.

GAUGE: 4 stitches and 6 rows — 1 inch.

TENSION: Use every other needle. Make a sample swatch with yarn of choice.

Suggested Tension: Knit King Tension No. 8, Prazisa, No. 9, Studio No. 8.

PATTERN STITCH: Stockinette stitch. Single Crochet trim Garment is knit from sleeve edge to center Back or Front.

FIRST SLEEVE

Row counter on "0." — Tension set for ribbing.
. . . With Size 6 Knitting Needles

With Green Mofair, cast on 40 (44-48) stitches.

Knit 1, purl 1 for 15 rows.
2½ inches.

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . Change to Size 10 Knitting Needles

Increase 1 stitch on each edge every 6 rows 10 (11-12) times
1 inch

You have 60 (66-72) stitches. Work even for

78 (84-90) rows above ribbing.
13 (14-15) inches

UNDERARM SHAPING

Increase 1 stitch on each side every other row 5 (6-7) times. 70 (78-86) stitches. Place a marker on each outside edge for end of sleeve.

BODY

MACHINE KNITTER: Take 35 (37-43) stitches off machine on scrap yarn or stitch holder. Take the other half of sleeve off on another stitch holder.

Place one section of sleeve back on machine, with shoulder at extreme edge of machine. At underarm marker, cast on 48 stitches. (All sizes).

HAND KNITTER: Work first 35 (37-43) stitches, place on stitch holder. Work to end of row, cast on 48 stitches, (side seam.)

BOTH: Work even on 83 (85-91) stitches to row 30 (33-36) for 5 (5½-6) inches.

Place marker at shoulder edge.

Continue to work on BACK stitches to row 60 (63-66). for 10 (10½-11) inches

Take work off on scrap yarn or stitch holder (to be grafted together)

With WHITE yarn, make second half of BACK, reversing shaping.
Work 1 row less than Green.

MACHINE KNITTER:

FRONTS (Reverse shaping for second half)

Place sleeve stitches on extreme edge of machine, shoulder at outside. Cast on 48 stitches at underarm for side edge.

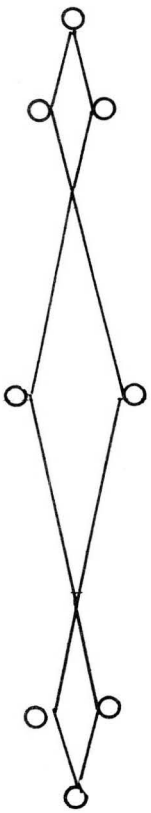
HAND KNITTER: Knit stitches from stitch holder, cast on 48 stitches at underarm for side edge.

BOTH:

Work even to row 30 (33-35) place marker at shoulder edge. 5 (5½-6) inches

Decrease 1 stitch at Neck edge every alternate row 13 times. AT SAME TIME decrease 1 stitch at lower edge every other row 12 times.

Bind off loosely.



FINISHING

Graft center back seam together with White yarn. Flat seam sleeve underarm and shoulder seams.

With right side facing you, single crochet 6 rows around entire jacket edges. Work 3 stitches at each corner on the first 3 rows. Decrease 2 stitches at each corner of last 3 rows.

Turn crochet edge to right side and tack in place for rolled edge.

DECORATION

Crochet a chain 2½ yards long. Sew in place as shown, see diagram.

PARTY LINE. . .

FOR ALL KNITTERS

The John W. Roby & Company, Inc. Seattle, Washington is planning a fall knitting seminar in October, for Japanese made hand-knitting machines and will have two top knitting instructors in from Japan.
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According to John--top colors for fall are surf green, pink, wedgewood blue, light blue, new turquoise, navy and olive. Brown will be smarter than Black this fall. Tweeds a MUST.

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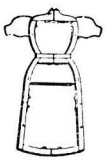

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Style 1462 — Cadet Blue

High V-Neck Jacket

High V-Neck Jacket

Style 1462

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZE: 14 (16-18).

MATERIAL: Navy Phildar, 14 50-gram balls.

KNITTING NEEDLES: 1 pair size 8 — or size you require to knit to gauge given below.
Crochet Hook size 5 (G).

GAUGE: 5 stitches - 1 inch — 7 rows - 1 inch.

TENSION: Machine knitter: Use every other needle. Suggested tension settings on Prazisa, No. 7; Knit King, No. 6; Studio, No. 7; Brother, No. 8.

MEASUREMENTS FOR BLOCKING: Width at bustline, 39 (41-42¾) inches. Width at back at underarm 19 (20-20¾) inches. Width of sleeve at underarm 14 (15-15¾) inches.

BACK

Row counter on "0" — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 8 Knitting Needles

Cast on 81 (85-98) stitches. Work even in stockinette stitch to row 28.
for 4 inches.

Increase 1 stitch each side every 4 inches (2 times each side) 85 (89-93) stitches. Work even until 13½ inches from beginning, mark for underarm.

SHAPE ARMHOLES

Bind off 4 stitches at beginning of next 2 rows. Decrease 1 stitch every 2nd row 4 (5-6) times; 69 (71-73) stitches. Work even until armhole measures 6½ (7-7½) inches above marker.

HAND KNITTER: End on wrong side.

SHAPE SHOULDERS

Bind off 6 stitches at beginning of each of next 4 rows; 5 stitches at beginning of next 2 rows; 4 (5-5) stitches at beginning of next 2 rows. Bind off remaining 27 stitches for neck.

RIGHT FRONT

Row counter on "0." — Tension same as for Back.
. . . With Size 8 Knitting Needles

Cast on 41 (43-45) stitches. Work same as back. On right side, increase 1 stitch at end of row—side edge—every 4 inches twice; 43 (45-47) stitches. Work even until 13½ inches from beginning; end on wrong side at front edge.

SHAPE NECK AND ARMHOLE

Decrease 1 stitch at beginning of next row at neck edge. Finish row and mark for armhole. Bind off 4 stitches at beginning of next row. Decrease 1 stitch at armhole edge every 2nd row 3 (4-5) times.

Continue to decrease 1 stitch at neck edge every 4th row 14 times more; AT SAME TIME when armhole measures 7 (7½-8) inches above marker, end on right side at armhole edge.

SHAPE SHOULDER

Bind off 6 stitches at beginning of next and every other row 2 times; 5 stitches once; 4 (5-6) stitches once.

LEFT FRONT

Work same as right front, reversing shaping.

SLEEVES

Row Counter on "0" — Tension set for Body of Garment . . . With Size 8 Knitting Needles

Cast on 41 (45-59) stitches. Work in pattern same as back. Increase 1 stitch each side every 8th row 11 times; 63 (67-71) stitches.

Work even until 14 inches from beginning. Bind off 4 stitches at beginning of nert 2 rows. Decrease 1 stitch each side every 2nd row 16 (17-18) times; 23 (25-27) stitches.

Bind off 2 stitches at beginning of next 6 rows. Bind off remaining 11 (13-15) stitches.

POCKETS (Make 2)

Cast on 29 stitches. Work in stockinette stitch for 6 inches. Bind off.

FINISHING

Block to measurements given.

Sew shoulder seams. Set in sleeves; sew sleeve and underarm seams.

Crochet border on pockets as follows:

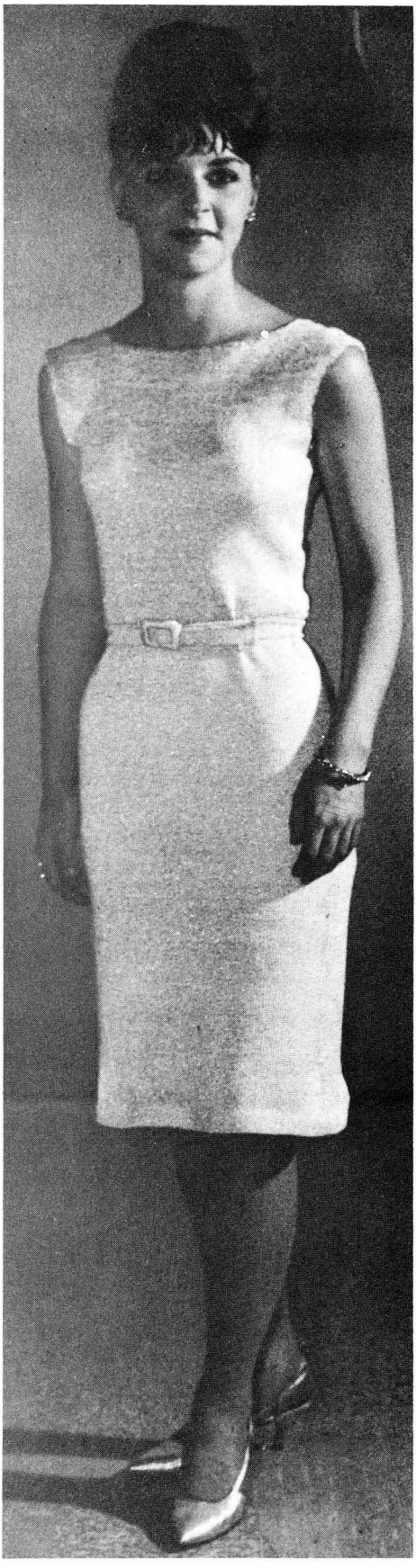
Row 1 — with right side facing, join contrast at lower right corner and work 1 row single crochet along side and upper edges only, working 3 stitches in both corners at upper edge to keep work flat. Break yarn.

Row 2 — With main color, work same as for row 1. Break yarn.

Row 3 — With contrast, work same as row 1. Break yarn.

Row 4 — With wrong side facing ,join main color at lower left corner, work 1 row single crochet—FROM LEFT TO RIGHT — increase as in row 1. NOTE: This row is worked in opposite direction to rows 1, 2 and 3.

Pin a pocket to each front — side edge ½ inch from underarm seam — lower edge even with lower edge of jacket. Sew. Work border same as for pocket around all edges of jacket, increase at corners to keep work flat, working through both pockets and jacket at lower edges. NOTE: If buttons are desired; make buttonholes by chaining length of buttonhole on first row of crochet edge spacing buttons evenly up front. Work same border around sleeve edges.



Style 1464 — White and Gold

Indian Summer Magic

Mohair Stole

Style 1461

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZES: Will fit size 12-20.

MATERIAL: Original Mohair (Made in Italy). 7 — 40-gram balls of Mink. 1 ball brown.

GAUGE: 5 stitches - 1 inch.
Knitting Needles size 10 (or any size necessary for the above GAUGE).

TENSION: Machine knitters use every other needle, loose tension setting.

PATTERN STITCH: Stockinette stitch.

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
With Size 10 Knitting Needle (Keep track of rows)

NOTE: Increases and decreases are all made on same side.

STRIP 1

Cast on 6 stitches for all strips.

Row 1 - 40: Increase 1 stitch one side every 5th row.

Row 41 - 100: Increase 1 stitch same side every 10th row (32 stitches).

Row 101 - 250: Knit even. Place a marker at both ends of row.

CENTER BACK

Row 251 - 310: Decrease 1 stitch same side every 10th row.

Row 311 - 350: Decrease 1 stitch same side every 5th row. Bind off remaining 6 stitches.

Block strip 65 inches in length.

STRIP 2

Same as Strip 1 to Row 100.

Row 101 - 225: Knit even. Place marker at both ends of row.

Row 226 - 285: Decrease 1 stitch one side every 10th row.

Row 285 - 325: Decrease 1 stitch same side every 5th row. Bind off remaining 6 stitches.

Block strip 55 inches in length.

STRIP 3

Work same as Strip 1 to Row 100.

Row 101 - 200: Knit even. Place marker at both ends of row

Row 201 - 260: Decrease 1 stitch one side every 10th row.

Row 261 - 300: Decrease 1 stitch same side every 5th row. Bind off remaining 6 stitches.

Block strip 49 inches long.

STRIP 4: Tuxedo collar and Pocket Strip

Row 1 - 24: Increase 1 stitch one side every 6th row (14 stitches).

Row 25 - 400: Knit even.

Row 401 - 425: Decrease 1 stitch same side every 6th row. Bind off remaining 6 stitches. Block long enough to fit around front of Stole as shown.

BLOCKING AND FINISHING

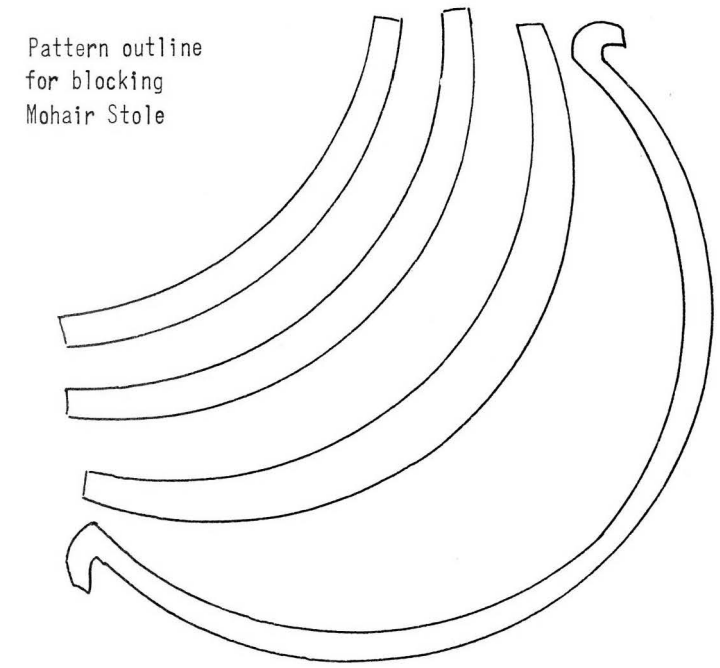
Mohair, because of its unusually soft texture, has very little body, therefore curls more than other yarns. The best way to block it is to dip into luke warm water, roll in towel and squeeze dry. Allow to dry 1 - 2 hours in a dry towel. Then pin three graduated strips to blocking board, in crescent shaped pattern. When pieces are completely dry, mark center of each piece with a row of basting. Put a row of basting on the inner curve of each strip, use matching thread) gather slightly, to fit outer curve of each shorter piece.

Match center marks, as you pin pieces together and ease in any extra fullness with your basting thread. To give the shaded effect of mink, use the darker color yarn to join pieces together, using a single crochet stitch. For an additional ridge fold each strip in half and single crochet on the edge of the fold. The tuxedo collar is pinned to the neck edge with the purl side to the knit side of stole. Start pinning from center back. The ends of the collar form the small spiral shape pockets as shown.

The edges are crocheted together with a picot edge trim, of * 5 single crochet stitches and 5 chain stitches, fasten chain stitches back into the 5th stitch.* Continue from * to * around stole, collar and pocket edge.

Mohair does not attain its usual fluffyness until it is handled and used. Shake and brush thoroughly for it to get its full luxurious beauty.

Line with brocade as shown. Cut pattern before sewing mohair pieces together.



Indian Summer Magic

Style 1464

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZES: 10 (12-14).

MEASUREMENTS: 33 (34-36) inch bust.
Finished length of skirt: 26 (26½-27) inches.

MATERIAL: J & P Coats Mercerized Cotton "Knit-Cor-Sheen" Metallic Yarn. 18 balls (100-yard balls).
Knitting Needles, size 4, 1 pair.

GAUGE: 15 stitches - 2 inches — 10 rows - 1 inch.

TENSION: Knit King tension No. 3. Adjust tension on your particular machine until you get the above gauge.

PATTERN STITCH: Stockinette Stitch.

SKIRT (Make 2 Pieces Alike)

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch. . . . With Size 4 Knitting Needles

Work even for 120 rows. Adjust length at this point.
12 inches.

Decrease 1 stitch at beginning and end of next row and again on rows 141, 161, 176 and 186. (10 stitches decreased.)
at 16 (17½ - 18½) inches.

Work even to row 200 (205-210)
20 (20½-21) inches.

Place marker on 26th stitch from each outside edge.

SHAPE DARTS

MACHINE KNITTER: Place 2 stitches together on each 26th needle from outside edge. Move all stitches over to fill empty needles.

HAND KNITTER: Knit 2 stitches together, knit 25, knit 2 stitches together, knit 78, knit 2 stitches together, knit 25, knit 2 stitches together.

BOTH:
Decrease 1 stitch on same row at each outside edge. (4 decreases made). Repeat the above decreases every 12th row 4 more times. (20 stitches decreased).

Work even until skirt is desired length. Bind off loosely.

BODICE BACK

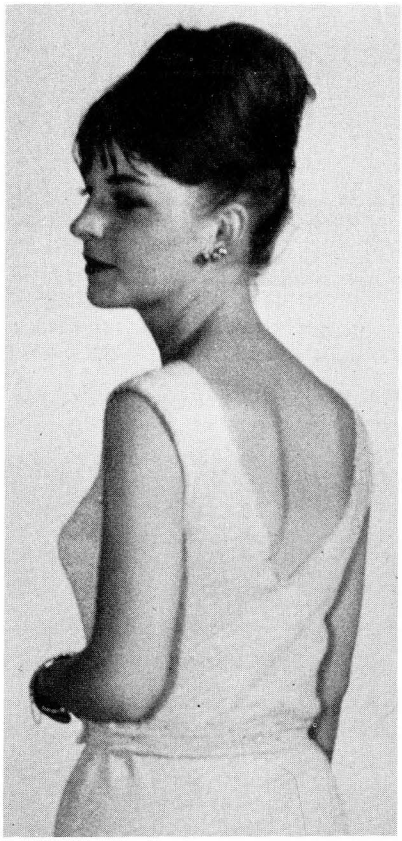
Row counter on "0" — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch. . . . With Size 4 Knitting Needles

Cast on 112 (116-120) stitches.

Work even to row 10. Increase 1 stitch at beginning and end
for 1 inch

of rows 11, 21, 31, 41, 51. 122 (126-230) stitches.
every inch, 5 times

Work even to row 60 from beginning.
for 6 inches.



Style 1464 — Back View

SHAPE V NECK

Divide work in half and attach 2nd ball of yarn at center. 61 (63-65) stitches each side. At neck edge decrease 1 stitch every 4th row 7 times then every other row 19 (20-21) times. AT THE SAME TIME,
on row 85 (85-90) from beginning.
when 8½ (8½-9) inches

SHAPE ARMHOLES

Row Counter on "0."
. . . Place Marker Thread

At each arm edge bind off 5 stitches once.

Decrease 1 stitch every other row 5 times. When armholes are 45 (45-55) rows increase 1 stitch at arm edge. 25 (26-
4½ (4½-5½) inches.
27) stitches. Work even to row 70 (75-80).
7 (7½-8) inches.

SHAPE SHOULDERS

At each arm edge bind off 9 (9-9) stitches every other row 2 (2-3) times; bind off 7 (8-0) stitches once.

BODICE FRONT

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 4 Knitting Needles

Cast on 112 (116-120) stitches. Work even to row 10 for 1 inch

Increase 1 stitch at each end of rows 11, 21, 31, 41, 51, 61, 71. 126 (130-134) stitches.

Work even until underarm measures same as back.

SHAPE ARMHOLES

Row Counter on "0."
. . . Place Marker Thread

At beginning of next 2 rows bind off 6 stitches. Decrease 1 stitch every other row 6 times. Work even to row 45 for 4½ inches.

Increase 1 stitch at each arm edge and again on row 55 at 5½ inches.

120 (124-128) stitches.
When armhole is on row 58 (58-60), 5¾ (5¾-6) inches.

SHAPE NECK

With 2nd ball of yarn bind off center 56 (60-64) stitches. Working both sides at same time, decrease 1 stitch at neck edge every other row 5 times. 27 (26-27) stitches.

Work even until armhole is same measurement as back.

SHAPE SHOULDERS

At each arm edge, bind off 9 (9-9) stitches every other row 3 (2-3) times; then every other row 0 (8-0) stitches once.

BELT

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 4 Knitting Needles

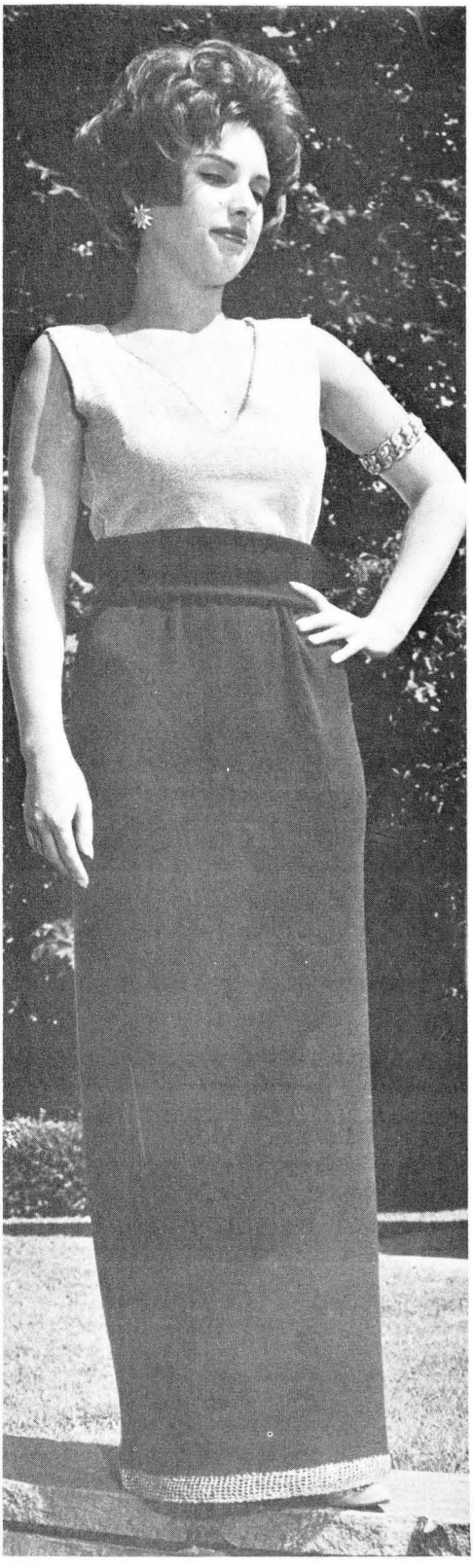
Cast on 180 (184-188) stitches. Work even for 15 rows. Bind off loosely.

FINISHING

Pin pieces to measurements and block. Sew side seams of skirt.. Sew shoulder and side seams of bodice. On wrong side, single crochet bodice to skirt using plain yarn and elastic thread together. With wrong side facing and with gold thread, work 1 row of single crochet around entire neck edge. Work 1 row single crochet around each armhole edge. Turn up 1 inch around bottom of skirt and hem with seam binding. Face belt with grosgrain ribbon or strip of pellon. Single crochet over belt buckle until completely covered. Sew belt to buckle and fasten with snap.

BELT LOOPS (Make 2)

With plain yarn crochet a chain 2½ inches long. Fasten at each side seam at waistline.



Model Sherrie Shannon

Style 1463

White and gold Bodice—Brown and gold Skirt

Evening Simplicity

Evening Dress

Style 1463

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZE: 10 (12-14).

MEASUREMENTS: 33 (34-36) inch bust. Finished length of skirt — 40 inches or desired length to floor.

MATERIAL: J & P Coats Mercerized Cotton "Knit Cro-Sheen" Metallic Yarn, 6 100-yard balls; 9 ounces 2-ply cone yarn; 1 spool gold metallic thread; elastic to fit waist measurement.

KNITTING NEEDLES: Size 4, 1 pair.

GAUGE: 17 stitches - 2 inches — 12 rows - 1 inch (Skirt); Bodice: Same as for Style No. 1464.

TENSION: Knit King, No. 2 for Skirt; Knit King, No. 3 for Bodice.

PATTERN STITCH: Stockinette stitch.

SKIRT (Make 2 Pieces Alike)

Row Counter on "0." Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 4 Knitting Needles

Cast on 162 (166-170) stitches. NOTE: Use your hip measurement and add 1 inch. Knit even for 500 rows = 40 inches

Bind off loosely.

CUMMERBUND

Row Counter on "0." Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 4 Knitting Needles

Cast on 51 inches. Work even for 338 rows or waist measurement = 27 inches plus 4 inches. Bind off.

FINISHING

Block each piece to measurements. Sew side seams together. Turn under ⅜ inch at top for elastic casing. Single crochet 5 (or more if desired) rows of single crochet around bottom edge with gold metallic thread catching only the back stitch of the first single crochet row. Insert elastic at waistline.

Apply "Iron-On" Pellon as facing to wrong side of cummerbund. Fold under ½ inch on both ends. Sew hooks and eyes to ends.

BODICE

Use directions for Style No. 1464. ONLY reverse fronts and back. We liked this bodice so well that we used the back for the new plunging neckline for the front bodice.

Style 1351-M — for Machine Knitting

SIZE: 10-11 (12-13).

MEASUREMENTS: To fit 29-30 (31-32) inch chest; Length from top of shoulders, 17 (18) inches; Sleeve seam, 3 inches.

MATERIAL: Cotton boucle or Knit Cro Sheen — 6 balls main color; small amounts of 3 contrast colors.

TENSION: 7 stitches - 1 inch — 12 rows - 1 inch.

BACK

With main color, cast on 84 (90) stitches.

Row counter on "0" — Tension set for Hem.

Row 1 - 24 — Work even.

Row 25 — Reverse stitches across row for turning hem.

Row 26 - 50 — Work even, pick up cast-on stitches and place on needles to complete hem.

Change tension for body of garment.

Shape sides by increasing 1 stitch at beginning of every following 5th and 6th row until there are 106 (114) stitches.

Work even to row 126 (132).

SHAPE ARMHOLES

Bind off 5 stitches at beginning of next 2 rows, then decrease 1 stitch each end of next and every other row until 82 stitches remain. Work straight until back measures 16½ (17½) inches [row 198 (210)] down center back.

SHAPE NECK

With second ball of yarn, bind off center 24 (26) stitches. Work both sides 29 (32) stitches at same time. Knit 1 row. Decrease 1 stitch at neck edge on next 5 rows.

SHAPE SHOULDERS

When 2 neck decreases have been completed, shape shoulders by binding off 8 (9) stitches at the shoulder edge 3 times.

FRONT

Work same as back until you have 106 (114) stitches. Work to Row 126 (132).

PATTERN STITCH: Start at underarm shaping.

Change to color A, work 3 rows;
Change to color B, work 1 row;
Change to color A, work 3 rows;
Change to color C, work 1 row.

Make Yarn Overs by transferring every other stitch to the adjacent needle, leave empty needle in work position.

With color C, work 1 row;
Change to color A, work 3 rows;
Change to color B, work 1 row;
Change to color A, work 3 rows.

Continue in main color for remainder of garment.

SHAPE FRONT NECK

Take center 12 stitches off on stitch holder.
Decrease 1 stitch at neck edges every 4th row, keeping pattern as established, until 24 stitches remain on each side.

UNDERARM SHAPING

Change to contrast color, bind off 5 stitches at the beginning of the next 2 rows, then decrease 1 stitch each side every alternate row 10 times. Work even on 24 stitches until armhole is same length as back.

SHAPE SHOULDER

Bind off 8 stitches at the beginning of next 3 rows.
Sew shoulder seams together, or graft together for no seam.

SLEEVES

Row Counter on "0" — Tension set for Hem.

Cast on 74 (78) stitches.

Row 1 - 12 — Work even.

Row 13 — Reverse stitches for hemline.

Row 14 - 25 — Work even, pick up cast-on stitches, place on needles. Complete hem.

Change Tension for Body of Garment

Row 26 - 62 — Work even.

SHAPE CAP

Bind off 5 stitches at beginning of next 2 rows, then decrease 1 stitch at each end of next and every alternate row until 32 stitches remain. Work 1 row even, then decrease 1 stitch each end of row until 16 stitches remain. Bind off.

NECK BAND

Cast on 1 stitch, increase 1 stitch at beginning of every row until you have 12 stitches. Work in pattern same as on garment. Change to stockinette stitch and make band long enough to go around neck. Graft to stitches on holder.

Sew neckband to neck, fold in half at back of neck and 2 inches on each side. Blind stitch to neck. Single crochet along remainder of tab and point. Sew tab in place as shown.

Sew in sleeves. Sew sleeve and underarm seams. Block to size.

ELEVEN PLUS

Style 1351-H — for Hand Knitting

SIZE: 10-11 (12-13).

MEASUREMENTS: 29 - 30 (31-32) inch chest. 17 (18) inches from shoulder to bottom of hem. 3 inch sleeve seam.

MATERIAL: Cotton Boucle or Knit Cro Sheen (6 balls main color) Small amounts 3 contrast color, a, b, c.

GAUGE: 7 stitches - 1 inch — 12 rows - 1 inch.

KNITTING NEEDLES: Size 3 for hems, size 4 for body of garment, or any size you need to get the above GAUGE.

PATTERN STITCH: Stockinette stitch (knit 1 row, purl 1 row).

BACK

With size 3 needles and main color, cast on 84 (90) stitches. Work in stockinette stitch for 2 inches, make reverse row for turning of hem, work 2 inches more. Change to size 4 needles and shape sides by increasing 1 stitch at beginning of every following 5th and 6th row (½ inch) until there are 106 (114) stitches.

Work even until back measures 10½ (11) inches.

SHAPE ARMHOLES: Bind off 5 stitches at beginning of next 2 rows, decrease 1 stitch at each end of next and every alternate row until 82 (90) stitches remain. Work straight until back measures 16½ (17½) inches down center back.

SHAPE NECK:

Work 29 (32) stitches, join in second ball of yarn, bind off 24 (26) stitches, work remainder with second ball. Using 2 balls of yarn continue on each group of stitches, decrease 1 stitch at neck edge on next 5 rows. AT SAME TIME: when 2 neck decreases have been made, bind off 8 (9) stitches at shoulder at the beginning of the row and following 2 alternate rows.

FRONT

Work same as back to UNDERARM SHAPING.

Start the following Pattern Stitch on same row:

Change to color a, work 3 rows.

Change to color b, work 1 row.

Change to color a, work 3 rows.

Change to color c, work 1 row, making Yarn overs across row by knitting 2 stitches together, yarn over, 2 stitches together across row.

Work 1 row color c.

Change to color a, work 3 rows.

Change to color b, work 1 row.

Change to color a, work 3 rows.

Continue remainder of garment with main color.

SHAPE FRONT NECK: and UNDERARM on same row: Bind off 5 stitches at beginning of row (Working with color a) work next 42 (46) stitches, slip center 12 inches off on stitch holder. Working with 2 balls of yarn, work last 42 (46) stitches. Bind off 5 stitches at beginning of row.

Decrease 1 stitch at outside edge every alternate row 10 times AT SAME TIME decrease 1 stitch at neck edge every 4th row; keeping pattern as established, until 24 (27) stitches remain. Work even on remaining stitches until armhole is same length as back to shoulder.

SHAPE SHOULDER: Bind off 8 (9) stitches at beginning of next 3 rows. Sew or graft shoulders together.

SLEEVES

With size 3 needles, cast on 74 (78) stitches.

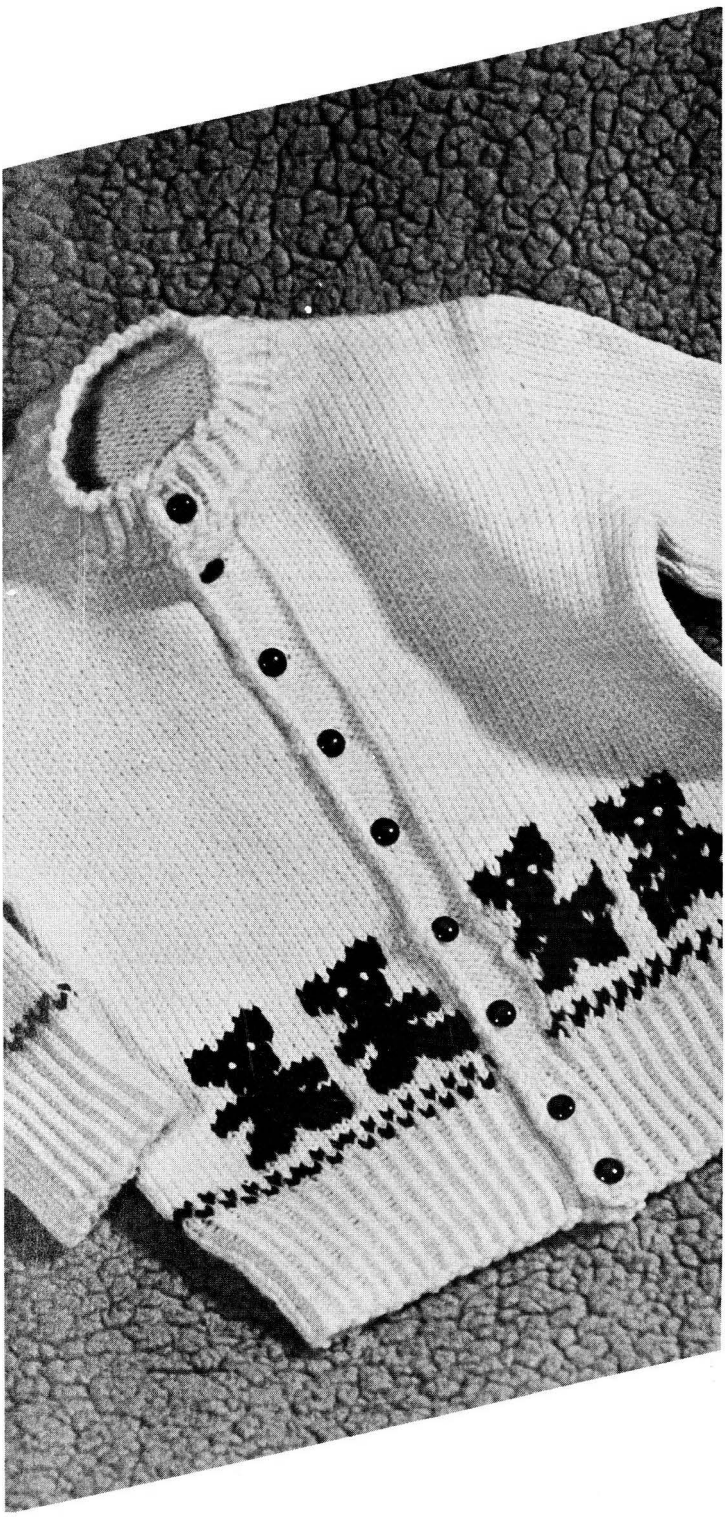
Work 1 inch, reverse stitches across row for turning ridge. Work 1 inch, change to size 4 needles, increase 1 stitch at beginning of next 2 rows. Work even for 2 inches.

SHAPE CAP: Bind off 5 stitches at beginning of next 2 rows, then decrease 1 stitch at each end of next and every alternate row until 32 stitches remain. Work 1 row even, then decrease 1 stitch EACH end of row until 16 stitches remain. Bind off.

NECK BAND

Cast on 1 stitch, increase 1 stitch at beginning and end of every knit row until you have 12 stitches. Work in pattern same as on garment. Change to main color and stockinette stitch work until band will reach around neck to front stitches. Sew in place, graft stitches together at right front. Sew pattern stitches in place. Single crochet around tab. Sew facing to back of neck and shoulder. Single crochet along remainder of front edge.

Sew in sleeves. Sew sleeve and underarm seams. Block to measurements.



Style 1469 — Yellow with Brown Bears

Twin Bear Sweater

Twin Teddy Bear Sweater

Style 1469-M — for Machine Knitting

SIZES: 2 (4-6).

MEASUREMENTS: Chest — 21 (23-24) inches.

MATERIAL: Coats & Clark's Sayelle - Color: Yellow. 4-ply (Machine washable); 2 - 4-ounce skeins.
1 ounce brown for bears and trim.

GAUGE: 6 stitches - 1 inch — 8 rows - 1 inch.

TENSION: Number 8 - Knit King - every other needle.

PATTERN STITCH: Stockinette stitch with ribbing.

Row Counter on "0" — Tension set for Ribbing.

BACK

Cast on 66 (70-74) stitches on every other needle. Rib in knit 1, purl 1 for 2 (2-2½) inches.

Re-set Tension for Stockinette Stitch.

See Graph.

Work should measure 9 (10-11) inches from beginning or desired length to underarm.

ARMHOLE SHAPING

Bind off 5 (5-5) stitches at beginning of next 2 rows (once each side). Decrease 1 stitch both ends every other row 2 (2-2) times. 52 (56-60) stitches remaining. Work even until armhole measures 4¾ (5¼-5¾) inches.

SHAPE SHOULDER

Bind off 6 (6-6) stitches at beginning of next 6 rows (3 times each side). 16 (20-24) stitches remain. Bind off all stitches.

LEFT FRONT

Row counter on "0." — Tension set for ribbing.

Cast on 40 (44-48) stitches and rib for 2 inches.

Re-set tension for Stockinette Stitch.
Row Counter on "0."

Knit 1 row even. Begin pattern, following graph, keeping first 6 stitches in pattern for border. (We made the border in knit stitches.) Make buttonholes every 1½ inches on right side for girl and left side for boy, having the first buttonhole ½ inch from bottom edge and last buttonhole ½ inch from top edge. Knit same as back to underarm.

SHAPE ARMHOLES

Bind off 5 (5-5) stitches at armedge once. Decrease 1 stitch at arm edge every other row 2 (2-3) times. AT SAME TIME when armhole measures 2½ (3-3½) inches bind off at NECK EDGE 11 (15-16) stitches. Decrease 1 stitch at neck edge every row 4 (4-6) times. 18 (18-18) stitches remain.

SHOULDER SHAPING

Bind off shoulder to correspond with back.

RIGHT FRONT

Work to correspond with left front, reversing shapings and pattern graft.

SLEEVES (Make 2)

Row counter on "0" — Tension set for ribbing.

Cast on 40 (42-44) stitches and rib in knit 1, purl 1 for 2 inches.

Re-set tension for Stockinette Stitch.

NOTE: Make first 2 rows of pattern only.

Increase 1 stitch each side every 4th row 3 (3-4) times. Increase 1 stitch each side every 6th row 3 (4-4) times. There are 52 stitches on machine. Work even for 8 (10-12) inches or desired length.

SHAPE ARMHOLES

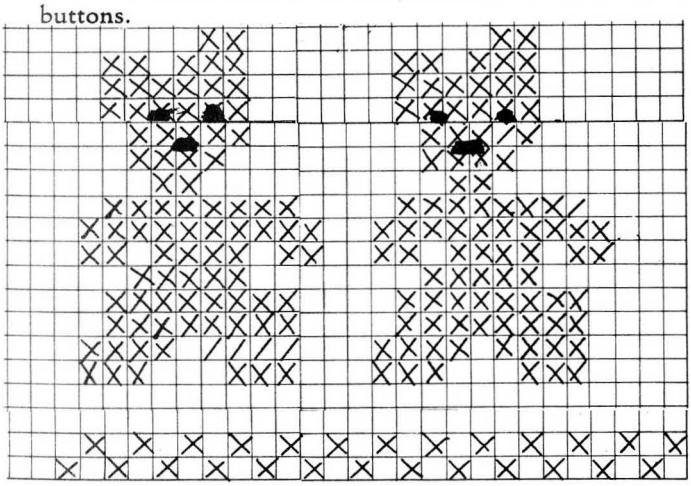
Bind off 5 (5-5) stitches at beginning of next 2 rows. (Once each side). Decrease 1 stitch both sides every other row 11 (13-15) times. 20 stitches remain.

CAP OF SLEEVE

Bind off 2 stitches at beginning of next 4 rows. Bind off remaining stitches.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams. At neck edge pick up 66 (72-78) stitches. Work 1 inch in stockinette stitch. Rib with latch tool, or use ribber. Bind off stitches in ribbing. Remember to make buttonhole on 4th row of band. Bind off with tapestry needle and thread. Set in sleeve. Join sleeve and underarm seam in flat seam. Block to size. Sew on buttons.



Style 1469-H — for Hand Knitting

BACK

With No. 6 needles. Cast on 66 (70-74) stitches and rib in knit 1, purl 1 for 2 (2-2½) inches. Change to No. 8 needles and work first 2 rows of pattern graft only. Work in stockinette stitch for 7 inches. Piece measures 9 (10-11) inches from beginning or work until desired length to underarm.

SHAPE ARMHOLES

Bind off 5 (5-5) stitches at beginning of next 2 rows (once each side). Decrease 1 stitch both ends every other row 2 (2-2) times. 52 (56-60) stitches remain. Work even in stockinette stitch until armhole measures 4¾ (5¼-5¾) inches.

SHAPE SHOULDER

Bind off 6 (6-6) stitches at beginning of next 6 rows (3 times each side). Bind off remaining 16 (20-24) stitches.

LEFT FRONT

With No. 6 needles, cast on 40 (44-48) stitches and work in knit 1, purl 1 ribbing for 2 (2-2½) inches. Change to No. 8 needles and work in pattern (follow graph) until same length as back to underarm, keeping first 6 stitches in border. (We purled the first 6 stitches).

SHAPE ARMHOLE

Bind off 5 (5-5) stitches at underarm edge once. Decrease 1 stitch at armhole edge every other row 2 (2-3) times. AT SAME TIME when armhole measures 2½ (3-3½) inches bind off at NECK EDGE 11 (15-16) stitches once.

Decrease 1 stitch every row (neck edge) 4 (4-6) times. 18 (18-18) stitches remain.

SHOULDER

Bind off shoulder stitches to correspond with back.

RIGHT FRONT

Knit right front to correspond with left front, reversing shaping and pattern graft. Make buttonholes every 1½ inch or face with grosgrain ribbon and have buttonholes made. NOTE. for boy's sweater (as shown) make buttonholes on LEFT FRONT.

SLEEVES

With No. 6 needles, cast on 40 (42-44) stitches. Rib in knit 1, purl 1 for 2 (2-2) inches. Change to No. 8 needles and work first 2 rows of pattern graft ONLY. Knit in stockinette stitch, increasing 1 stitch each side every 4th row 3 (3-4) times. Increase 1 stitch each side every 6th row 3 (4-4) times. 52 (56-60) stitches remain. Knit even in stockinette stitch until piece measures 8 (10-12) inches from beginning or until desired length to underarm.

SHAPE ARMHOLES

Bind off 5 (5-5) stitches at beginning of next 2 rows. Decrease 1 stitch both sides every other row 11 (13-15) times. 20 (20-20) stitches remain.

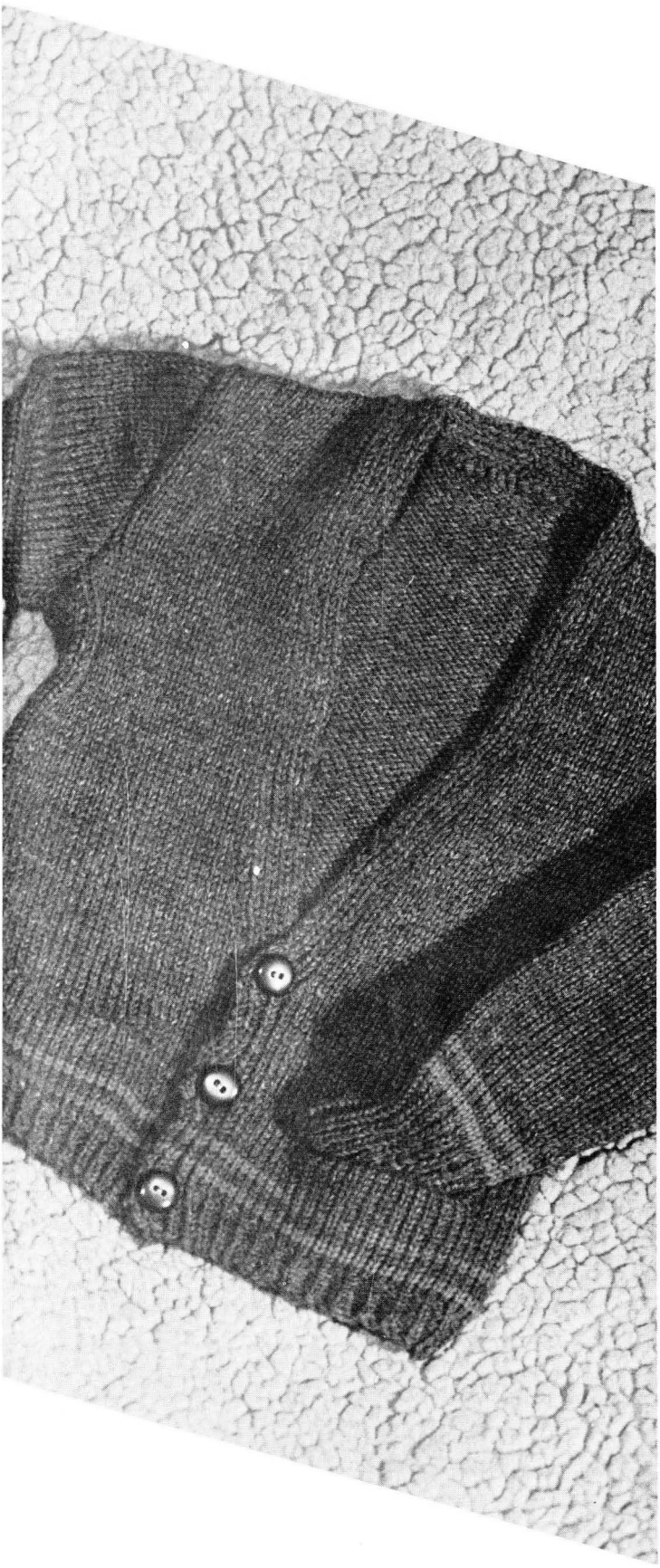
CAP OF SLEEVE

Bind off 2 stitches at beginning of next 4 rows. Bind off remaining stitches.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams. At neck edge pick up 66 (72-78) stitches.

Rib in knit 1, purl 1 for 1 inch. Bind off stitches in ribbing. Set in sleeve. Join sleeve and underarm seam in flat seam. Block to size. Sew on buttons.



Style 1473 — Grey with Red Trim

Favorite . . . 3- Button Cardigan

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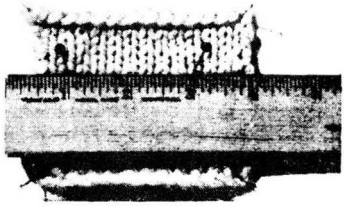

Be sure you can knit or crochet to exact gauge specified in directions. To test your knit gauge, cast on 20 to 30 stitches, using needles specified. Work 3″ in pattern stitch. Smooth out swatch; pin down. Measure across 2″ as shown, then down 2″, counting number of stitches and rows. If you have *more* stitches and rows to the inch than directions specify, use larger needles: if you have *less* stitches and rows to the inch, use smaller needles. Knit new swatches until gauge is correct. Test crochet same way.

Favorite . . . 3-Button Cardigan

Style 1473

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZES: 4 (6-8-10-12).

MATERIAL: Bernat Germantown Knitting Worsted. 2-ounce skeins — 4 (4-5-6-6) skeins; 1 card contrast trim; 1 pair each knitting needles size 5 and 8; 1 steel crochet hook, size 0; 3 buttons.

GAUGE: 5 stitches and 7 rows - 1 inch.

TENSION: MACHINE KNITTER — Use every other needle. Cast on 20 stitches and knit 28 rows for sample swatch. Drop from machine without binding off. Pull swatch both ways on the bias, then up and down, before measuring.

BACK

Work 2 rows contrast color, 2 rows main color, 2 rows contrast color just above ribbing on back, fronts and sleeves.

Row counter on "0." — Tension set for ribbing.
. . . With Size 5 Knitting Needles

Cast on 60 (64-68-74-78) stitches. Knit 1, purl 1 ribbing for 1 inch.

Adjust Tension for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 8 Knitting Needles

Work even until piece measures 63 (70-77-81-84) rows.
9 (10-11-11½-12) inches

SHAPE ARMHOLES

Row Counter on "0."

At the beginning of the next 2 rows bind off 3 (3-3-4-4) stitches. Decrease 1 stitch each end of row every other row 2 (3-3-4-5) times.

Work even on 50 (52-56-68--60) stitches until armholes measure 33 (37-39-43-45) rows,
4¾ (5¼-5¾-6¼-6¾) inches.

SHAPE SHOULDERS

At the beginning of the next 4 (6-4-6-6) rows bind off 5 (5-6-6-6) stitches.

At the beginning of the next 2 rows bind off 4 (0-5-0-0) stitches. Bind off remaining stitches.

POCKET LINER (Make 2)

HAND KNITTER:
Using size 8 knitting needles Cast on 15 stitches, work in stockinette stitch for 3 (3½-3½-4-4) inches. End with purl row. Slip stitches on stitch holder.

NOTE: For boy's cardigan make the right front piece first; for girl's make the left front piece first.

FIRST FRONT PIECE

Row Counter on "0" — Tension set for Ribbing.
. . . With Size 5 Knitting Needles

Cast on 35 (37-39-42-44) stitches. Work in knit 1, purl 1 ribbing same as on back.

Adjust Tension for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 8 Knitting Needles

Purl 28 (30-32-35-37) stitches, knit 1, purl 1 for 7 stitches (front edge).

Continue in the above pattern until piece measures
21 (24-24-28-28) rows.
3 (3½-3½-4-4) inches.

POCKET

MACHINE KNITTER: At side edge place 7 (8-9-10-11) stitches into hold position, work pocket over the center 15 stitches. Place front 13 stitches in hold position. Work 40 (44-44-48-48) rows on pocket. Return stitches from holding position to work position, away from cam or slide, at the beginning of next 2 rows.

INSERT POCKET

HAND KNITTER — Work to pocket opening, work onto same needle the 15 stitches of one pocket lining, work to end of row.

BOTH — Continue in pattern stitch on all stitches until piece measures 35 (39-39-39-39) rows.
5 (5½-5½-5½-5½) inches.

SHAPE NECK

On the next row (front edge) decrease 1 stitch inside the ribbing and repeat this decrease every 6 (8-8-10-10)th row, 8 (8-8-8-9) times more.

AT THE SAME TIME, when piece measures same as back

SHAPE ARMHOLES

Row Counter on "0."

At arm edge bind off 3 (3-3-4-4) stitches. Decrease 1 stitch at same edge every other row 2 (3-3-4-5) times.

When all neck decreases have been completed, work even on 14 (15-17-18-18) stitches until the armhole measures same as back.

SHAPE SHOULDERS

At arm edge bind off 5 (5-6-6-6) stitches 2 (3-2-3-3) times and 4 (0-5-0-0) stitches once.

Work ribbing on remaining 7 (7-7-7-7) stitches for 14 rows.
2 inches.

Bind off.

SECOND FRONT PIECE

Work to correspond to first front piece, reversing placing of band, pocket and all shaping and forming first buttonhole when piece measures 5 rows.
¾ inch.

BUTTONHOLE

Starting at front edge work 2 stitches, bind off 3 stitches, work to end of row. On next row cast on 3 stitches over those bound off in previous row.

Make 2 more buttonholes, spaced 11 rows apart.
1½ inches

SLEEVES

Row Counter on "0" — Tension set for Ribbing.
. . . With Size 5 Knitting Needles

Cast on 32 (34-38-40) stitches. Work in knit 1, purl 1 ribbing for 18 rows.
2½ inches.

Change tension for Stockinette Stitch
. . . Change to Large Needles

Work in stockinette stitch, increase 1 stitch each end of row every 5 rows 8 (8-8-10-10) times.
¾ inches

Work even on 48 (50-54-58-60) stitches until piece measures 74 (81-88-95-102) rows
10½ (11½-12½-13½-15) inches.

SHAPE CAP

At the beginning of the next 2 rows bind off 3 (3-3-4-4) stitches. Decrease 1 stitch each end of next row and every other row for 21 (23-25-27-29) rows.
3 (3¼-3½-3¾-4) inches.

At the beginning of the next 6 rows bind off 2 stitches. Bind off remaining stitches.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams, sew ribbing around neck, sew at center back. Set in sleeves. Sew underarm and sleeve seams. Sew pocket lining in place.

Block. Finish buttonholes with buttonhole stitch, use single strand of yarn) sew on buttons.

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FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZE: 6 (8_10-12-14)
Measurements: Chest — 24 (26-28-30-32) inches.

MATERIAL: Coats & Clark's 3-ply super fingering (1 ounce skeins) 5 (6-6-7-8) ounces.

Knitting needles: 1 pair size 3 for ribbing; 1 pair size 4 for stockinette stitch.

GAUGE: 7 stitches - 1 inch — 10 rows - 1 inch.

TENSION: Adjust the tension for your particular machine until you get the above GAUGE. Suggested tension: Knit King No. 5, Studio No. 5, Speed-o-knit No. 6, Miracle No. 6.

PATTERN STITCH: Stockinette Stitch.

PULLOVER BACK

Row counter on "0." — Tension set for ribbing.
. . . With Size 3 Knitting Needles

Cast on 92 (96-100-104-108) stitches.

Work in knit 1, purl 1 ribbing for
15 (15-20-20-25) rows.
1½ (1½-2-2-2½) inches

Re-set Tension for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 4 Knitting Needles

Work even to row 100 (110-120-130-140) or desired length for 10 (11-12-13-14) inches

to armholes.

SHAPE ARMHOLES

Row Counter on "0."

Bind off 5 (5-5-6-6) stitches at the beginning of the next 2 rows. (Once each side.) Decrease 1 stitch at the beginning and end of every other row 5 (5-5-5-6) times.

You have 72 (75-80-82-84) stitches.

Work even until row counter reads 55 (60-65-70-70) rows.
for 5½ (6-6½-7-7½) inches.

SHAPE SHOULDERS

Starting at outside edge, bind off 8 (8-8-9-9) stitches at the beginning of the next 6 rows.

Take remaining stitches 24 (28-32_28-30) off on stitch holder for back of neck.

PULLOVER FRONT

Cast on 92 (96-100-112-120) stitches.

Row Counter on "0" — Tension set for Ribbing.
. . . With Size 3 Knitting Needles

Work same as BACK to Armholes.

ARMHOLES and V-NECK SHAPING

Divide work in half. Using 2 balls of yarn work both sides at same time. Shape armholes same as for BACK — AT SAME TIME shape V-NECK as follows:

At neck edge decrease 1 stitch every other row 4 (4-5-5-5) times.

Decrease 1 stitch every 3rd row until there are 24 (24-24-27-27) stitches.

SHAPE SHOULDERS

Same as BACK.

SLEEVELESS VERSION

Sew one shoulder seam.

MACHINE KNITTER: With Purl side facing you pick up 129 (133-137-140-145) stitches around neck of garment including those on holder.

Row counter on "0." — Tension set for ribbing.

Place a marker at center front stitch. Knit 1 row.

Decrease at center front by placing the stitches on each side of marked stitch onto the marked stitch. Move all stitches in to fill empty needles. (Use a multiple transfer tool.). Repeat the above decrease every other row, ribbing with a latch tool before transfer is made. Work 10 rows knit 1 purl 1 ribbing. Bind off in ribbing.

ARMHOLES

Sew shoulder seams.

Row counter on "0." — Tension set for ribbing.

Pick up 111 (115-118) stitches.

Rib in knit 1, purl 1 for 5 rows.

HAND KNITTER: With size 3 needles. With knit side facing you pick up 128 (132-136-140-144) stitches around neck. Place a marker at center front. Work in knit 1, purl 1 ribbing for 1 inch, decreasing at center neck front by knitting 2 stitches together before and after the marked stitch. Bind off in ribbing.

ARMHOLES

Sew Shoulder Seams.

With right side facing you pick up 110 (114-118) stitches around armhole. Work in knit 1, purl 1 ribbing for 5 rows. Bind off in ribbing.

SHORT SLEEVES

Cast on 64 (68-72-76-80) stitches.

Row Counter on "0" — Tension set for Ribbing.
. . . With Size 3 Knitting Needles

Work in knit 1, purl 1 ribbing for 1 inch.

Change Tension for Stockinette Stitch
Change to Size 4 Knitting Needles

Increase 1 stitch at each end of next row and every following 4th row until there are 68 (72-78-84-90) stitches.

Work even until 30 (30-40-40-45) rows.
3 (3-4-4-4-4½) inches.

SHAPE UNDERARM AND CAP

Bind off at the beginning of the next 2 rows (once each side) 4 (4-5-5-5) stitches.

Decrease 1 stitch at each end of every other row until 28 (28-28-30-30) stitches remain.

Bind off 2 stitches at the beginning of the next 4 rows (twice each side). Bind off remaining stitches.

FINISHING

Block pieces to size. Sew sleeve and underarm seams. Tie in all ends.

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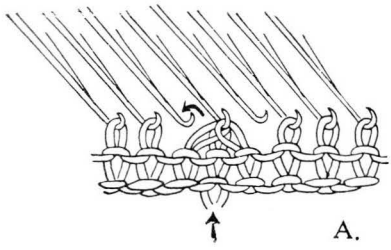
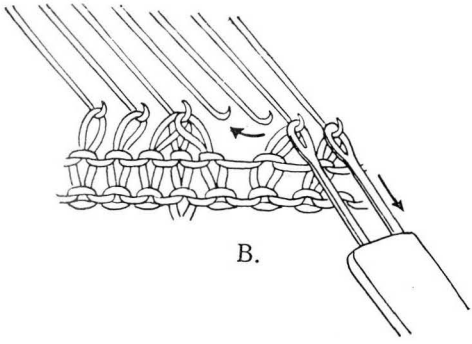


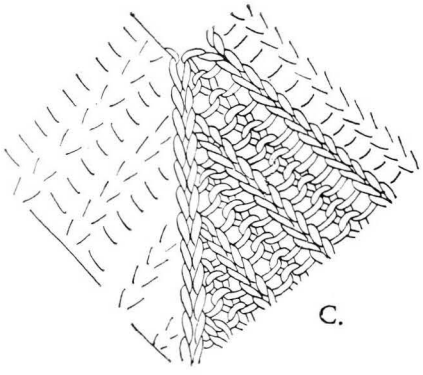
A.

With the purl side facing you, place stitches around front neck, back on the machine. Mark the center front stitch with a colored thread. Knit 2 rows. Place the stitches on each side of the center stitch onto the center stitch. See diagram A.



B.

Move the center stitch, it will have 3 stitches on it, to the left empty needle. Move all the right hand stitches over to fill the empty needles. See diagram B.



C.

Knit two rows and using the latch tool rib the stitches on each side of center and place them on the center needle. Again move all stitches over as above. Knit two rows and place the two stitches on each side of center needle onto the center needle. Continue in this way the desired width of the neck ribbing. CAUTION: You must not lose the center stitch or your "V" will not be true. See diagram C.

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Child's Pleated Skirt

Style 1471

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZE: 4 (6-8).

MATERIAL: 7 (8-9) ounces Crochet cotton or 2-ply wool.
One-half yard elastic for waist.
1 pair each size 2 and 4 knitting needles.

GAUGE: 15 stitches - 2 inches — 10 rows - 1 inch stockinette stitch. 8 stitches - 1 inch — 11 rows - 1 inch ribbed stitch.

TENSION: Cast on 30 stitches with yarn of choice, work in stockinette stitch for 40 rows.
4 inches. Piece will measure 4 inch square.

Suggested Tension: Prazisa, No. 6,; Knit King, No. 5; Studio, No. 5; Speed-o-knit, No. 6; Brother, No. 5.

PATTERN STITCH: Knit 5, purl 3 ribbing.

SKIRT (Makes 2 Pieces)

Row Counter on "0." — Tension set for Stockinette Stitch.
. . . With Size 4 Knitting Needles

Cast on 141 (157-165) stitches. Work in pattern thus.
Size 4 — Knit 5, *purl 3, knit 5 * continue from * to * across row.
Size 6 — Knit 5, *purl 3, knit 5 * continue from * to * across row.
Size 8 — Knit 8, *purl 3, knit 5 * continue from * to * across row.

MACHINE KNITTER: Work 10 rows even, drop purl stitches and rib up with latch tool.

HAND KNITTER: Work in pattern stitch as established.

Work 96 (116-124) rows in pattern.
9½ (10½-11¼) inches

At the beginning of the next 2 rows place 16 (24-27) stitches on stitch holder or scrap yarn.

MACHINE KNITTER: Take remaining stitches off on knitting needle. Replace on machine thus: 5 stitches on first 5 needles, 3 purl stitches on next needle, 5 stitches on next 5 needles, repeat across row 13 decreases (26 stitches). All sizes.

Replace the 16 (24-27) stitches on machine at each end or row. Knit 1 row.

HAND KNITTER: Knit 16 (24-27) stitches. *Knit 5, purl 3 together, * knit 5, repeat from * to * across row, end knit 16 (24-27) stitches. Purl 1 row.

Change Tension 1 Point for Ribbing
. . . With Size 2 Knitting Needles

MACHINE KNITTER: Transfer alternate stitch to adjacent needles for continental rib. (Place empty needles out of service).

Work 19 rows ribbing. Bind off loosely.

HAND KNITTER: 2¼ inches knit 1, purl 1 ribbing. Bind off in ribbing.

FINISHING

Sew side seams. Turn up 1 inch hem at bottom edge. Turn half of waistband to wrong side. Hem in place, elastic cut to waist measurement inside band.

KEEPING UP APPEARANCES . . .

Summer is gone and what to do with that beautiful summer tan — ENJOY IT! Thank heavens for liquid make-up when summer tans begin to fade and complexions have that half and half look Careful application of liquid makeup and the blending of just the right shades of eye shadow, eyebrow pencil, lipsticks and powder lets us have a "one color" look again.

A tip from the hair stylists — watch the styles the society gals adopt. They can afford the best of the field. Usually these women stay with the simple but stylish hairdos. They go very ultra ut for evening, but keep it simple and casual for daytime. No back-combs or way-out jobs for them.

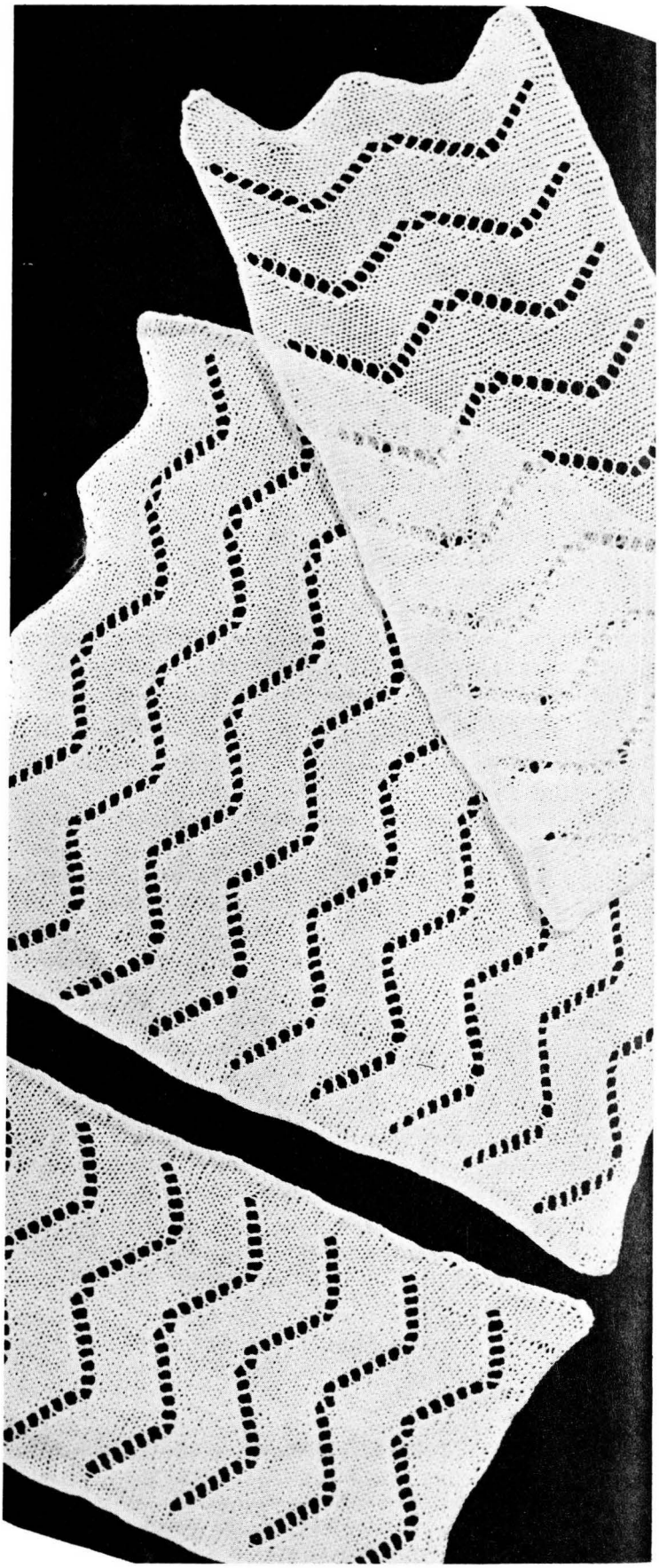
Clothes for Fall will run to the greens with all shades of rose being right behind in the wrist-length, turtle-neck body defining styles. Of course black and white is always in style. Speaking of black, the basic black dress is back again — what woman discarded hers in the first place? Stay-at-home clothes will be gay with glitter. Pants will be sequin trimmed. (Knit a pair from the instructions in the first issue of the Knitting Journal and trim them gaily). DARE TO BE DIFFERENT! Wild, wild colors are with us to stay. Manufacturers say that there is a color combination for every woman. BE GAY, but wear colors which compliment you. KNITS are HIGH FASHION and will be with us for a long, long time. Seems the manufacturers have finally awakened to the fact that knitwear can be fashionable. We knew it all the time! So girls, get busy with your knitting (machines and needles) and knit yourself a new wardrobe of high fashion. Be individualistic.

Coats tend to follow the princess lines with the Chesterfield type being a close second. If you knit one, make it with texture, for the emphasis is all on texture for Fall.

With the princess lines or the "follow the body" contour for Fall, keep that slim bathing suit figure. If you have gained a few pounds, now is the time to shed them. Sleek, slim lines are IN.

Accessories for fall range all the way from the conservative to the big, bold and brazen. In other words, choose the accessories which compliment YOU. Wear bold and brazen accessories with your stay-at-home clothes and the conservative ones with your basic blacks and the anywhere-in-betweens for the rest of your wardrobe.

Shoes are of the more comfortable styles this fall. Heels are a little lower, toes not quite so pointed. Leather for daytime in colors to compliment your outfit. Cutouts are still popular. Satins and suedes take over for evening.



Style 1438

Lace Chair Set

Lace Chair Set

Style 1438-M — for Machine Knitting

MATERIAL: 2 balls Knit Cro-Sheen (Coats & Clark).

GAUGE: 8 stitches — 1 inch.
12 rows — 1 inch.

TENSION: Number 6 or medium tension.

PATTERN STITCH: Yarn over Design.

Cast on 100 stitches. Knit 4 rows in stockinette stitch.

PATTERN SECTION

Row 5: Decrease 1 stitch at right edge. Transfer 40th stitch to 39th needle, 30th stitch to 29th needle, 20th stitch to 19th needle, then transfer every 10th stitch across row. Always leave empty needle in work position, with latches open (9 empty needles). Knit the row.

Row 6: and all even rows — Knit.

Row 7: Decrease 1 stitch at right edge. Transfer 39th stitch to 38th needle, 29th stitch to 28th needle, 19th stitch to 18th needle. Transfer every 10th stitch across row.

Row 8: Knit.

Row 9: Decrease 1 stitch at right edge. Transfer 38th stitch to 37th needle, 28th stitch to 27th needle, 18th stitch to 17th needle. Transfer every 10th stitch across row.

Work in pattern as established transferring stitch over 1 needle each pattern row to row 19.

PATTERN SECTION 2

Row 19: INCREASE 1 stitch at right edge. Transfer 34th stitch to 33rd needle, 24th stitch to 23rd needle and 14th stitch to 13th needle. Transfer every 10th stitch across row.

Row 20: Knit.

Row 21: Increase 1 stitch at right edge. Transfer 35th stitch to 36th needle, 25th stitch to 26th needle and 15th stitch to 16th needle. Transfer every 10th stitch across row. Coninue transferring as above moving 1 stitch each pattern to row 33.

Row 33: Transfer 40th stitch to 41st needle, 30th stitch to 31st needle and 20th stitch to 21st needle. Transfer every 10th stitch across row.

Row 34: Knit.

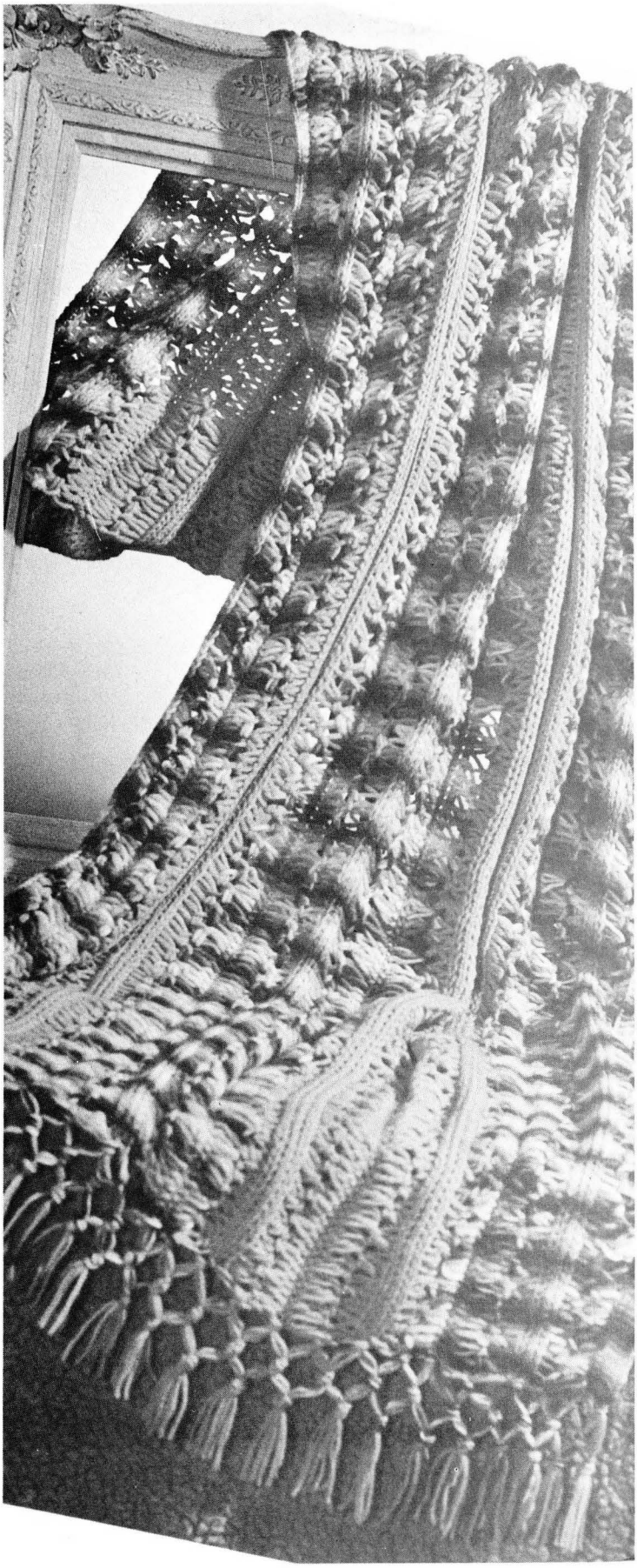
Repeat the above 2 pattern sections for pattern.

Repeat pattern 4 times for chair back and twice for chair arm pieces.

End with row 30 of pattern. Knit 4 rows even and bind off.

FINISHING

Single crochet around each piece. Starch and block to size.



Style 1479

Hairpin Lace Afghan

Hairpin Lace Afghan

Style No. 1479 — for Machine Knitting

MATERIAL: Coats & Clark 4-ply Knitting Worsted.
6 (3½-ounce skeins) Variegated.
6 (3½-ounce skeins) Main Color.
1 Hairpin Hook.

SIZE: 100 rows make 12 inches. Knit to desired length. 3 strips make 8 inches.
Afghan shown is 40 by 60 inches.

TENSION: 4 stitches — 1 inch. Use Tension setting No. 8 on most machines. Adjust either way to suit individual taste.

PATTERN STITCH: Place your needles thus: . is out of service position, 1, is work position.
1 . . . . . 1 . 1 . 1 1

Cast on the above 5 stitches. Knit 1 row.

Row 2 and all even rows: Place the first of center needles (next to Cam) into Non Work (or Hold) Position, knit the row.

Row 3 and all even rows: Place the first opposite center needle into Non Work Position, return the first needle at opposite end of center 3 back into Work Position, knit the row.

Continue working pattern as above until desired length. 500 rows make 60 inches when finished.

Knit the edge stitch by hand and bind off the center 3 stitches only. The edge stitches are not bound off, these are unraveled and laced together.

FINISHING
LACE STRIPS TOGETHER

By pulling 1 loop from 1st strip through 1st loop of the 2nd strip, then pull 2 loops of 2nd strip through 1st loop, pull 1 loop of 1st strip through the 2 loops of 2nd strip, then pull 2 loops of 1st strip through 1st loop, (3 loops worked from each side each time). Continue thus down length of strips, catching the last loop so it does not ravel.

For each section make 3 strips, reverse each strip so your Afghan is completely reversible.

Single Crochet around entire Afghan.

FRINGE

Place the center needle on machine into Hold Position

Place the center and 30th needle on machine into Hold Position. Wrap yarn around these needles. Cut at one end. Fringe is even in length. Tie 2 strands of each color through every other stitch around Afghan as shown.

Many variations of this may be done, and a tighter pattern can be made by leaving less needles out of service.

This pattern would make a nice stole, using 2-ply yarn.

Hairpin Lace

HAND KNITTER: Make strips of hairpin lace following instructions given. Finish same as Machine Knitting.

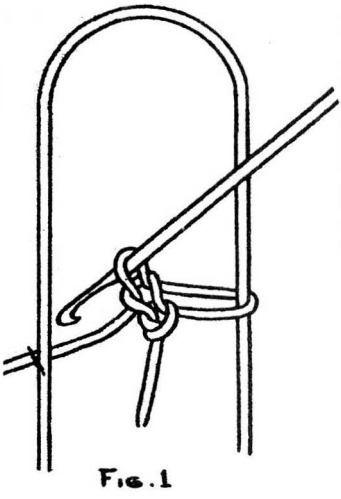


Fig. 1

FIG. 1.

Make a slip-knot on hook. Hold hook at center front of staple and pass strand around right hand prong to center back of staple. Catch strand and pull it through loop on hook; hook should always be at center of staple, halfway between the 2 prongs.

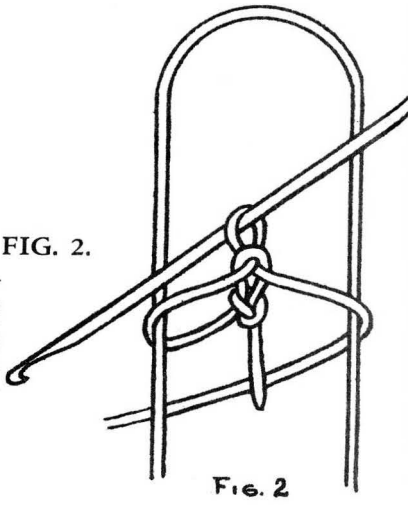


Fig. 2

FIG. 2.

*Raise handle of hook; passing handle through center of staple, bring right hand prong forward and around to left. Strand is now wrapped around other prong.

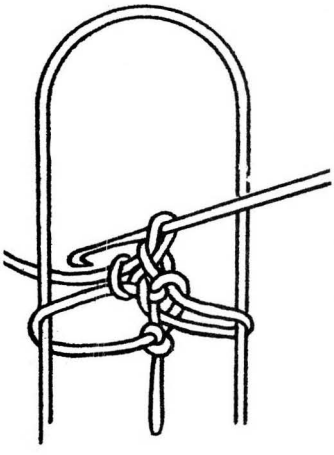


Fig. 3

FIG. 3.

Insert hook through FRONT of loop on left-hand prong and make single crochet. Repeat from * until staple is filled. Remove all but last 4 loops ,then continue as before until desired length.

Hairpin Hook

JOINING

With contrast, keeping the twist in all loops, single crochet through first 2 loops on one side, *chain 1, single crochet through next 2 loops, repeat from * across until piece is desired length. Work other side of hairpin lace the same way having the same number of single crochets on each side. Pull back any excess hairpin lace and fasten off.

TO JOIN STRIPS

Single crochet through first 2 loops of 1 strip, slip stitch to first chain — 1 space on contrast stripe. *Single crochet through next 2 loops of first strip, slip stitch in next space on contrast strip. Repeat from * across. Working in stripe pattern as established, continue to join strips until all have been joined.

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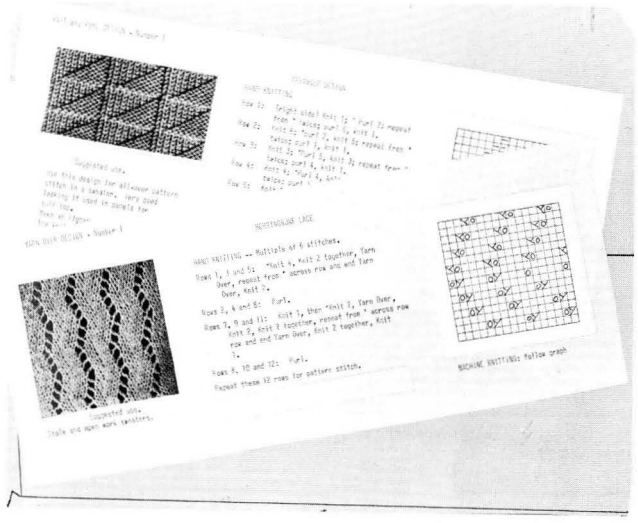

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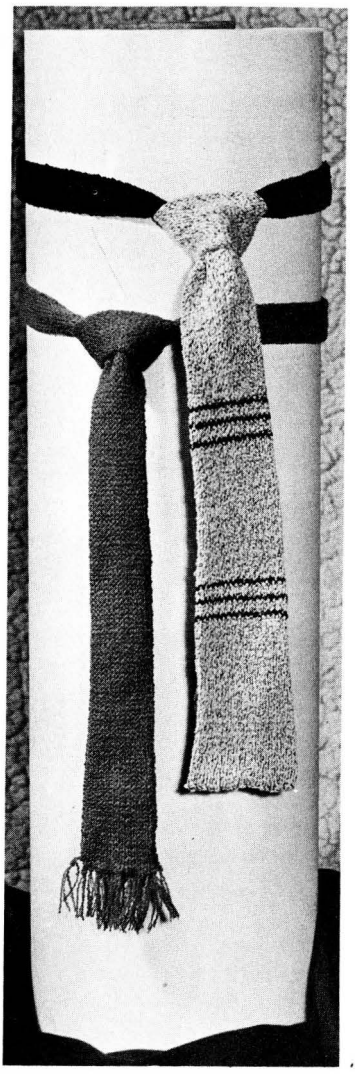


Necktie

Style 1475

FOR MACHINE

AND HAND KNITTING

MATERIAL:
Dress yarn, 2 ounecs.

Knitting Needles: Size 2.

GAUGE: 15 stitches - 2 inches
— 11 rows - 1 inch.

PATTERN STITCH:
Purl side.

SIZE: 1½ x 46 inches.

Row counter on "0." — Set Tension for above GAUGE.
. . . With Size 2 Knitting Needles

Cast on 26 stitches. Work even to row 136.
11¼ inches.

Decrease 1 stitch every 16th row 5 times at each edge until 16 stitches remain (Decreasing rows: 136, 152, 168, 184, 200.) Work even to row 410.
until work measures approximately 37 inches.

Increase 1 stitch each side of next row and every following 11th row until you have 22 stitches. Work even until piece measures 495 rows.
45 inches.

Take off on scrap or stitch holder if fringe is desired on ends.

FRINGE

Pull single strand of yarn through each stitch and tie. Cut to ¾-inch long. Bind off and sew together at ends.

FINISHING

Face the wrong side with bias material. Sew seam up back. Use flat seam. Block to desired length. Purl side is right side.

STRIPE as shown using contrasting color. We used Grey with black.

A PATTERN FOR BEGINNERS

Handsome Ribbed Heeless Socks

Style 1474

FOR MACHINE AND HAND KNITTING

SIZE:
Will fit any size.

MATERIAL:
1 4-ounce skein knitting worsted
1 pair "Boye" size 8 knitting needles.

GAUGE:
4 stitches - 1 inch — 5 rows - 1 inch

TENSION: Use every other needle. Adjust tension settings until you get the above GAUGE over pattern stitch.

Row counter on "0." — Change tension for pattern stitch.
. . . With Size 8 Knitting Needles

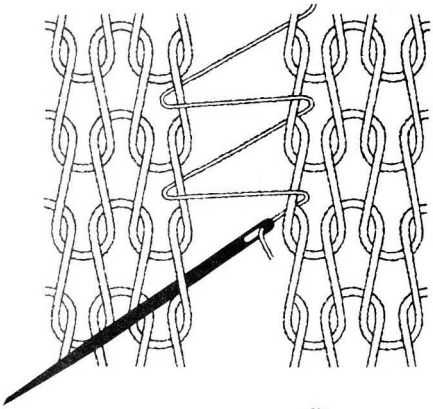
Starting at cuff. Cast on 32 stitches loosely. Work in ribbing of knit 2 stitches, purl 2 stitches until work measures 108 rows from beginning.
18 inches

MACHINE KNITTER: Work 10 rows and covert stitches to ribbing with latch tool) repeat for required length.

Next row: Take work off machine onto scrap yarn. Put 16 needles out of service. Replace stitches on remaining needles, placing 2 stitches on each needle (every other needle). 16 stitches remain.

HAND KNITTERS: Next row: *Knit 2 stitches together, purl 2 stitches together, repeat from * across row — 16 stitches remain.

Break yarn, leaving a strand about 1 yard long. Draw yarn through the 16 stitches on needle to form a ring, then draw yarn through the same stitches again to reinforce the ring. Sew a flat seam at the back of the sock.



FLAT SEAM:

With knit side facing you, take up with darning needle a loop from the selvedge of each side.

Serrated Edge

Style 1480

MATERIAL: J & P Coats "Knit-Cro-Sheen" in desired color.

MACHINE KNITTING: Cast on 7 stitches.

Row 1: Knit 1 stitch, place 2nd stitch on third needle, knit 3, move last stitch to adjacent empty needle *(leave empty needle in position for 2 yarn overs, every pattern row). Knit over and back.

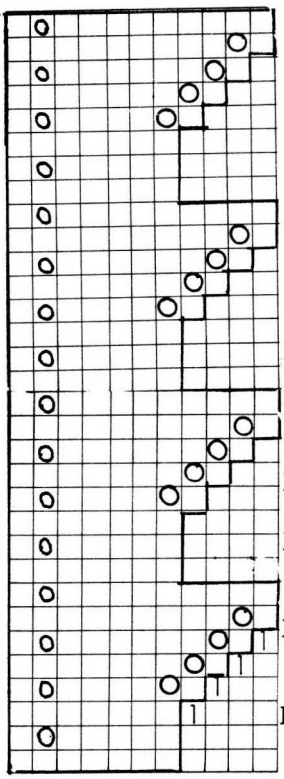
Row 3: Knit 1, place 2nd stitch on third needle, knit 4, move last stitch out to adjacent empty needle. * Knit over and back.

Row 5: Knit 1, place 2nd stitch on third needle, knit 5, move last stitch out to adjacent empty needle. * Knit over and back.

Row 7: Knit 1, place 2nd stitch on third needle, knit 6, move last stitch out to adjacent empty needle.* Knit over and back.

Row 8: Bind off 4 stitches (at point) knit remaining stitches. Repeat the above 8 rows for desired length of edging.

HAND KNITTING:



Cast on 7 stitches.

Row 1: Knit 1, (yarn over, knit 2 together) knit 3, yarn over, knit 1.

Row 2: Knit.

Row 3: Knit 1, (yarn over, knit 2 together) Knit 4, yarn over, knit 1.

Row 4: Knit.

Row 5: Knit 1 (yarn over, knit 2 together) Knit 5 yarn over knit 1.

Row 6: Knit.

Row 7: Knit 1, (yarn over, knit 2 together) knit 6, yarn over knit 1.

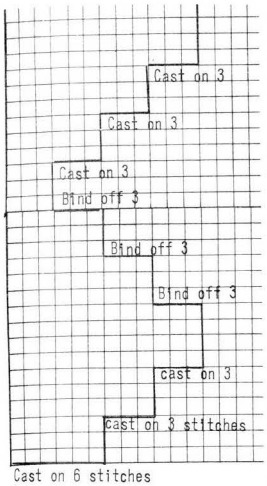
Row 8: Bind off 4 stitches, knit 6 stitches.

Repeat these 8 rows for desired length.

7 stitches - O is Yarn Over

Turreted Edge

Style 1481



Cast on 6 stitches

MATERIAL: J & P Coats "Knit-Cro-Sheen."

Cast on 6 stitches. Knit rows 1, 2 and 3. (Cast on 3 stitches at end of 3rd row).

Knit rows 4, 5, 6 and 7. (Cast on 3 stitches at end of 7th row).

Knit rows 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15.

Row 16: Bind off 3 stitches, knit 6 stitches.

Knit row 17, 18 and 19.

Row 20: Bind off 3 stitches, knit remaining 6 stitches.

Repeat these 20 rows for desired length.

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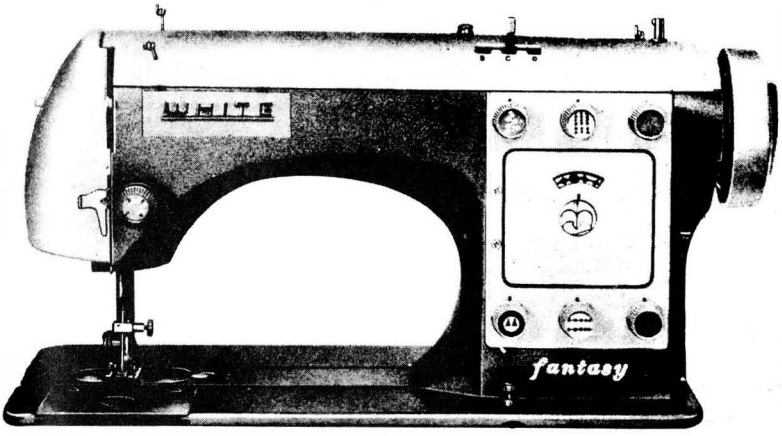

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